CHARITY BEGINS AT HOME

Portsmouth regrets exceedingly the discharge of men from the Navy Yard. It wants the support of the entire state of Maine and New Hampshire for the Yard, but she believes that the citizens of Portsmouth, Kittery, Eliot, York, Rye, New Castle, Newington, Hampton, Stratham, Greenland and adjoining towns should have proper consideration in the retention of workmen. The other cities and towns should care for their own to a certain extent. Weigh carefully the claims of the men. They are entitled to every consideration

ALL WORK TO CARE FOR ALL

THE WEATHER

Washington, May 17.—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Frost tonight. Little change in temperature. Light variable winds.

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

FIRST IN NEWS --- CIRCULATION GREATEST

SUN AND TIDE

Standard Time

Sun Rises 4.21
Sun Sets 7.01
Length of Day 14.40
High Tide ....7.22 a. m. 7.55 p. m.
Moon Sets .....1.56 a. m.
Light Auto Lamps at ...7.31 p. m.

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FISHERMEN, 84 HOURS IN OPEN BOAT, RESCUED

Members of Crew of Schooner Noonan Picked Up Off Boon Island, After They Had Rowed 150 Miles in Boat

(By Associated Press)

Portland, Me., May 17.—After 84 hours in an open boat Thomas Armstrong of Biddeford and Stephen Perry of Cape Porpoise, members of the crew of the fishing schooner Angelino Noonan were picked up off Boone Island and brought to port here by the steamer Ransom B. Fuller early today, almost at the point of collapse. They left their schooner 70 miles off Cape Cod on Friday and became lost in a fog. Later that day they saw a schooner for a few minutes but so far to windward that they could not reach her. They had rowed more than 150 miles when picked up.

LAFAYETTE P. T. ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS

Dr. H. F. Staples gave a most interesting talk on "The Care of the Teeth" to the members of the Lafayette Parent-Teacher Association at a well attended meeting on Monday evening.

During the business meeting plans were discussed for the meeting of the New Hampshire State Parent-Teacher Association to be held in this city next Friday and Saturday. It was voted that the Lafayette Association should do its share toward the support of the new dental clinic.

Officers for the coming year were elected, as follows: President, H. C. Twombly; vice president, Mrs. Ethel Clark; recording secretary and treasurer, Miss Ethel Kenney; corresponding secretary, Miss Katherine Conton; executive committee, Mrs. Willis Vennard, Mrs. Charles Fernald, Amos Rundlett and Miss Morrison.

Mrs. Mary Shaw Raynes, accompanied by Mrs. Florence Marshall Walker, sang several songs which were greatly appreciated by all.

During the social hour ice cream and assorted cake were served by girls of the sixth grade.

The Association is looking forward to its annual lawn fete to be held in June.

Mrs. Samuel Shields of Hanover street is visiting relatives in Taunton.

BASE BALL

N. H. State College Vs. Lowell Tec.

New Field, Durham, N. H., 3 P. M., Wednesday

Remarkably Pretty Dresses

Are shown in our Suit Room this week for both Children and Ladies

The Children's Dresses are in pretty checked and plaid ginghams in pink, blue and green tones and plain colored organdies in the delicate shades, sizes 6 to 14 years; in price.....$2.75 to $7.50

The Ladies' Dresses show all the wanted summer fabrics in the most desirable colorings and designs—even checked ginghams, dotted organdies and voiles, and flowered voiles of exceptional beauty; there are also plain color linens, crepe de chine, Canton crepe and georgette dresses in very exclusive styles. Prices range from.....$3.98 to $75.00

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NO DANGER OF TROUBLE WITH GREAT BRITAIN

Through Medium of Anglo-Japanese Alliance Says Geddes.

(By Associated Press)

Kansas City, Mo., May 17.—Possibility that Great Britain might be drawn into conflict with the United States through the medium of the existing Anglo-Japanese Alliance, was denied by Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States, in a speech here last night. Such rumors he declared, were the work of "the whisperers, the broken men, and by broken men I mean the Germans. The Anglo-Japanese treaty was originally designed to prevent Russian and German agression in the Far East. When that treaty was renewed in 1911, it was specifically provided that there should be excepting from its working any nation with whom either Great Britain or Japan had a general arbitration treaty. Such a treaty was drawn up between Great Britain and the United States, but failed by ratification by your Senate; but in order to obviate any possibility of being drawn into conflict with the United States on any ground whatever, we then drew up the Peace Commission Treaty providing for arbitration between Great Britain and the United States before any form of force should be employed."

If you are looking for a wreath for Decoration Day, call and let me make you one just as you want it. Pearson's, Penhallow St.

The New Hampshire delegation at Washington on Monday recommended to President Harding the appointment of John N. Field of Nashua as Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of New Hampshire.

Missionary effort has introduced church wedding ceremonies into Central Africa. The bridal couples insist upon going barefoot to the ceremonies, however, making a rather startling effect with the bridal veil and frock coat of the western civilization which they wear.

NO MARTIAL LAW FOR W. VIRGINIA COAL STRIKE REGION

State Authorities Have Situation Well in Hand and Firing Has Practically Ceased

(By Associated Press)

Williamson, West Va., May 17.—Preparations are being made to anticipate activities of the Mingo fighting troops next Thursday the anniversary of the battle of Matewan, 1920 in which ten persons were killed including the Mayor and seven private detectives. Although hostilities have been practically on the West Virginia-Kentucky border, but activities are increasing behind the battle line.

Washington, May 17.—The federal government is not disposed to declare martial law and employ regular troops in the West Virginia strike region merely to anticipate a situation that may get beyond the control of the state authorities, Secretary Weeks declared today. Although, he has telegrams from the governors of both West Virginia and Kentucky asking for federal troops and martial law Mr. Weeks said the latest reports to the War Department indicated that the situation was more quiet firing practically having ceased.

MINE WORKERS JOIN TOGETHER IN WAGE FIGHT

(By Associated Press)

New York, May 17.—Consolidation of the anthracite and bituminous mine workers of the country in order that they may put up a solid front to the coal operators in wage negotiations next winter was the purpose of a conference today between district leaders of the anthracite miners and President Lewis and Vice President Murray of the United Mine Workers of America. Under the agreement proposed the two branches of mine workers numbering nearly 500,000 will jointly frame demands and wage scales to replace the present agreement which expires March 31, 1922.

AT THE THEATRES

Portsmouth.—Thursday, May 19, William Courtenay and Lola Fisher in "Honors Are Even." Monday, May 23, "Irene," musical comedy.

Colonial—Photoplays and vaudeville Today, feature film "It's a Great Life."

Olympia—Photoplays, today Alice Joyce in "The Prey," feature picture.

Scenic—Dancing and pictures. Today Constance Talmadge in "She Loves and Lies," Educational Comedy, "Coming Through the Rye," Bobbie Vernon, star weekly.

THIS IS ABOUT THE TIME

of year for you to think about getting that summer cottage in condition for occupancy. Probably no one thing will contribute more materially to comfort than a good supply of water, which is available at the turn of a faucet.

PAUL PUMPS will put this supply at your service. Come in and ask us about them.

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13 Ladd Street.

BROCKTON SHOE WORKERS WANT CHARTER BACK

(By Associated Press)

St. Louis, Mo., May 17.—Three hundred delegates representing approximately 50,000 members of the craft, attended the opening session here yesterday of the fifteenth biennial convention of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union. The joint report of Collis Lovely, general president, and C. L. Baine, general secretary-treasurer, both of Boston, emphasizing necessity for strengthening the union to preserve its wage interest, was endorsed unanimously. Delegates from Brockton were requested to appear before the general officers tomorrow to argue their request for return of the Brockton Union charter.

BIG BATTLESHIP MAKES 12 KNOTS IN TRIAL TRIP

(By Associated Press)

Rockland, Me., May 17.—The Tennessee, which was pushed by her electric drive at a cut speed of 21.37 knots an hour in her test yesterday, will go through additional tests today. Her performances in the primary run were said to have exceeded contract requirements in the important details of maximum speed and maximum horsepower. It was expected she would leave for Boston tonight or tomorrow, making a test run on the way.

M'ELWAIN AND INTERNATIONAL IN SHOE MERGER

Over Fifty Factories Scattered All Over Country Are Taken Over By New Combine

(By Associated Press)

Boston, May 17.—The merger of the International Shoe Co. of St. Louis and the W. H. McElwain Co. of this city, shoe manufacturers, was announced today. It brings together companies whose combined sales aggregated $130,000,000 last year. A joint capitalization of $40,000,000 is said to be involved, merging of which is to be effected by exchange of securities without public financing. The announcement said that the merger takes in 32 shoe factories of the international company in Illinois, Kentucky and Missouri, three tanneries in Pennsylvania and North Carolina, ten shoe factories, two tanneries and four shoe material factories of the McElwain located in New Hampshire.

ASK GOVERNOR'S INFLUENCE FOR FEDERAL TROOPS

(By Associated Press)

Williamson, West Va., May 17.—Mingo county authorities today were waiting a reply to their latest appeal to Governor Morgan asking that he urge the war department to send federal troops into the battle zone along the West Virginia-Kentucky border. The appeal forwarded last night informed the governor that the situation was critical and that further outbreaks were expected.

SUB. WITHOUT OIL MAKES PORT UNDER SAIL

(By Associated Press)

Hollo, Territory of Hawaii, May 17.—Submarine R-14 arrived here yesterday under a jury rig after exhausting her oil supplies while in search for the missing tug Conestoga.

Wood of all kinds for sale. Phone J. Regan, 662-W. h tf m8

FAVOR BLAIR FOR INTERNAL REVENUE HEAD

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 17.—The Senate finance committee offered today a favorable report on the nomination of David H. Blair to be commissioner of Internal Revenue. It was understood Chairman Penrose of the committee planned to take action by the senate late today or tomorrow, as Secretary Mellon is now exercising the functions of the post because of the vacancy.

PROF. EINSTEIN VISITS BOSTON

(By Associated Press)

Boston, May 17.—Professor Albert Einstein, scientist, and Professor Weizmann, leader of the world Zionist organization, began a two-days' visit here today with a formal breakfast tendered them by Mayor Peters. Governor Cox and the Mayor extended greetings on behalf of state and city to which both Professor Einstein and Weizmann responded. At City Hall later public meetings were held on the steps.

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GARROWS ACQUITTED OF WIFE MURDER

(By Associated Press)

St. Albans, Vt., May 16—Edward Garrows was found not guilty by a jury tonight of the murder of his wife last August. The jury was out two hours. Mrs. Garrows' dead body was found in her room November 30 at her home in Franklin, with a revolver by her side. The defense claimed that she had committed suicide and that she had attempted suicide last August, while the state's contention was that she was murdered by her husband who was in love with a former servant girl.

BIG REDUCTION MADE IN THE STATE TAX FOR MAINE IN 1921

The state of Maine announces the extraordinary reduction in state taxes. The figures show that the state tax for the calendar year 1921 is 66 per cent of the state tax for the year 1920. The total state tax levied against the cities and towns in 1920 was $4,139,093.55, whereas the total state tax levied against the same cities and towns for the 1921 is $2,093,672.47. This shows a saving to the people of the state in this one item of $2,045,421.08. It should be remembered that ample provision has been made to take care of state institutions, state departments and state charities and a reasonable margin has been allowed for contingencies. The saving in the state tax to each of the 16 counties is as follows:

Androscoggin	$194,006.16
Aroostook	144,301.29
Cumberland	481,141.03
Franklin	14,627.59
Hancock	83,115.06
Kennebec	167,828.63
Knox	61,265.88
Lincoln	37,986.65
Oxford	84,572.52
Penobscot	235,978.06
Piscataquis	33,124.78
Sagadahoc	58,159.39
Somerset	88,706.73
Waldo	46,830.12
Washington	67,624.05
York	291,751.66
Total	$2,045,121.08

It should be remembered that in the figures above given is included the one-mill bonus tax to pay the war bonus bonds authorized by referendum of the people of the state. This war bonus item is not a regular charge against the government expenses and if this is deducted from the tax given above it will be seen that an even greater saving has been made in the items that are properly chargeable against the usual expenses of government. This item alone would amount to an additional saving of $637,000 per year, and this would make a total saving $2,682,121.08.

CANNOT INSIST ON PAR COLLECTION

Washington, May 16—Federal reserve banks have not the right to insist on par collection of cheques of member banks, the supreme court ruled today in effect.

The court reversed decrees of Georgia courts which had refused to enjoin the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta from taking steps to enforce collection of cheques drawn on a number of Georgia state non-member banks "except through the usual and ordinary channels."

The suit was brought by more than forty state banks of Georgia in conjunction with the American Bank & Trust Company of Atlanta. The plaintiffs insisted throughout the case however, that behind this issue was an attempt of the Federal Reserve Institution to compel them to join the reserve system.

Counsel charged that a carefully planned campaign had been decided upon by the Atlanta Reserve bank and that the very existence of the state banks was threatened. Cheques drawn against them were to be held until a large amount had been accumulated, it was asserted, and then a sudden demand made for the entire amount "over the counter" or such cheques in large amounts were to be sent through the local postmaster for collection without notice, all for the one purpose of embarrassing the held-outs from the reserve system.

The Atlanta Reserve bank denied that it intended any illegal act. The federal reserve act prohibited the payment of any collection charges, it averred, and left it with no alternative except to proceed in the manner complained of by the non-member banks. A further defense was offered in the fact that universal par collection of cheques would result in the annual saving of more than $70,000,000 to the public.

The case constituted the first contested attack upon the reserve act and was argued in April, 1921.

ROME HOTELS ARE CROWDED

Rome.—"Tenting on the old camp ground" will be the lot of Americans rushing into Rome, Rome is full, full for months, so the hotel men say. American tourists have captured and occupy it, so that others of their countrymen wishing to get in must be spoken for in advance, or must pave a golden road for themselves in gratuities to hotel porters and clerks in order to get a place where to lay their heads.

"Sorry, but we are full. Did you write us? Did you telegraph?" is the resistant cry of the functionaries at the hotels. If one cannot answer in the affirmative, sorry indeed is their lot, for weary pilgrimages from one hotel to another is the only alternative.

A chance might bring a room "cheaper" to one's assistance. This consists in offering a room in a private house, for which the daily stipulation is enormous. There was one example where an American paid $10 a night for his room in a private family. The room was only scantily furnished, and not modern in its appointments.

Aside from the scarcity of lodgings, Rome seems to have taken on its pre-war tourist attitude. The same vendors of curios present themselves to the American on his appearance in Rome. The same old faces are seen in the antique shops and the art showrooms. The same beggars occupy their accustomed places, while the same old "blind beggar" with his full-sighted "companion" scrapes shekels galore out of his unmelodious violin squeaks and shrieks on the streets. Cab drivers rule the highways, except for a new autobus line which has superseded the old horse-line on the Corso Umberto.

Prices have mounted ten to twenty times what they were in the old days. All the souvenirs are a thousand per cent higher. The art works and antiques have taken a similar leap. "Fleeing profiteers" greet the American tourist at every angle. Hotel prices, even when transferred into American money, are two or three times their pre-war level. A room and meals on the American plan costs at least $5 a person, where it used to cost two.

SAY BIG BEAST RAN ON ITS HIND LEGS

New York.—Best minds of the American Museum of Natural History agree that the Gorgosaurus, a gigantic beast which lived way back in paleozoic times, ran, when in a hurry, on its hind legs.

Nobody ever says a Gorgosaurus but scientists stooping around his skeleton habitats, have found enlightening footprints and other evidence that he once lived in what is now the Canadian province of Alberta. They show that this carnivorous dinosaur used all fours in ordinary travelling, but being spurred to high speed, the big fellow got up on his hind legs. Accordingly, a Gorgosaurus skeleton recently acquired by the museum from the Red Deer river beds of Alberta, has just been mounted in his running pose.

In explaining the probable habits of the Gorgosaurus, Dr. W. D. Matthew, curator of the museum's department of vertebrate paleontology, pictures the prehistoric monster in chase of a couple of cayuse duck-billed dinosaurs that have carelessly wandered from the banks of rivers and lagoons, which served them as refuge from land-lubbers like the Gorgosaurus.

The Gorgosaurus was long on speed but short on brains, Dr. Matthew said. In fact, he was a real low-brow among the ancient animals, intellectually he would have been a good companion for crocodiles, which are put at the foot of the class in most zoos.

So, Dr. Matthew said, this enormous but rather simple beast would rely on his speed to catch the frightened duck-billed dinosaurs. Standing up on his rear legs and using his massive tail to balance the body, he would pursue his prey. Catching them, he would attack ferociously with claw and tooth. The duck-billed dinosaurs had no means of defense, if caught, and they were promptly consigned to a place on the Gorgosaurus' menu.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, May 17.—A Japanese social under the auspices of the Young People's Society of the Free Baptist church will be held at the vestry on Friday evening, May 20, at 7.30 p. m.

Mrs. George Wasson returned to her home in Bangor on Monday after spending a week in town attending to her property.

Christian Endeavor prayer service will be held at the First Christian church this evening at 7.30. Topic "How to Enjoy One's Work."

Mid week prayer meeting of the Congregational church will be held at 7.30 at the Community House this evening.

James A. Walker is having a garage built on his premises.

William Call of the Harbor road is visiting relatives in Malden, Mass.

The missionary meeting of the Congregational church will meet at the parsonage on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Graham.

Mrs. Herbert Baker who has been seriously ill with sciatica rheumatism is slightly better which is pleasing news to her many friends.

BASE BALL

American League

Boston 10, St. Louis 5.
New York 5, Cleveland 3.
Washington 11, Detroit 11.
Philadelphia 4, Chicago 5.

National League

Chicago 1, Boston 7.
St. Louis 4, Brooklyn 2.
Pittsburgh 0, Philadelphia 3.

College Baseball

Holy Cross 6, Colby 1.
Mass. Aggy 0, Harvard 6.
Norwich 11, Bowdoin 8.

35 KNOT OIL BURNING CRUISER READY SOON

Tacoma, Wash., May 17.—Awaiting the arrival of a favorable tide and the skill of the men who will loosen the blocks holding her from the invitation of the waves, the 610 foot hull of the scout cruiser U. S. S. Cincinnati is virtually ready for the launching, scheduled to take place at the Tacoma yard of the Todd Shipbuilding Company May 23.

The huge steel hull still is surrounded by much of the scaffolding used by the workmen in its construction, but this can be taken down in a day's notice and all remaining construction can be done after the launching.

The keel of the Cincinnati was laid May 16, 1920 at which time the keels of the Omaha and the Milwaukee, two sister ships to the Cincinnati, were on the ways. The two other ships were launched within the year of their keel laying. This same record time would have been realized on the hull of the Cincinnati had it been possible for the sponsoring party and other interested persons in the East to be here at the time first set for the baptism of the newest of Uncle Sam's fighting vessels. As now planned, the ship will have been on the ways just a week more than a year.

The purpose of the scout cruiser is precisely what the term signifies—scouting. She must have all the speed possible, yet be able to protect herself in a skirmish. She must be strong enough to stand more than the average shell impact, yet not burdened with armor to such an extent that she cannot run from a superior enemy.

The speed is guaranteed by the four sets of Westinghouse Parsons type turbines driving the four eleven foot three inch propellers, and by the designing, which eliminates all possible friction or interference in the water. Total horse power to be carried by the craft is estimated at 107,000, which is calculated to drive her at thirty-five knots, or slightly above forty statute miles an hour. Steam for the turbines will be provided by twelve Yarrow type boilers designed to deliver 225 pounds pressure to the square inch.

Twelve six-inch guns will compose the principal armament of the craft. The guns are to be designed for long distance and rapid fire work. Smaller Anti-Aircraft guns will be installed amidships. It is calculated that in the speedy encounters for which the Cincinnati is designed the smaller calibre guns will enable her to successfully engage much larger fighters.

Total length of the ship is 555 feet 6 inches, maximum beam 56 feet 4 inches, draft 18 feet 4 inches, at which she will displace 7,100 tons. The top of her highest mast will be slightly more than 200 feet above the water and will be surmounted by a crow's nest, which can be reached by climbing through the inside of the steel mast itself. The boilers will use oil for fuel, and a storage capacity of 350,000 gallons has been provided.

Fully manned the Cincinnati will carry a crew of 350 men and 35 officers. Altering the old time custom, officers' quarters will be in the forward part of the ship, while the crew will be quartered aft. This arrangement brings the officers nearer their posts of duty and particularly to the bridge.

Following the plan found best adapted to launching at the Todd yard here the Cincinnati will take the water bow first. Such a radical departure from the old stern first method used the world over has led to considerable criticism from shipbuilders, but never choice has proved satisfactory to the launchings at the big Tacoma yard.

A natural condition of consistent high tides on the Pacific coast is the main cause for the bow first method of launching here. The keel of a ship is laid on an incline sufficient to cause her to slide easily and gracefully into the water when the blocks are loosened. This necessitates that one end of the craft be near the water's edge, if not actually in the water at times of highest tides.

Most of the work to be done on a hull is at the after end, and if the old method of laying a keel with the stern nearest the water were followed the high tides would interfere much with the work. A second reason for laying the keel in the manner the Cincinnati was laid is that it brings the half of the ship requiring the heavy castings nearer the place where they are picked up by the overhead cranes, thus eliminating cost in handling material.

At present, approximately 800 men are engaged in the construction work on the hull. After the launching this crew probably will be reduced one-seventh for the next year of construction and machinery installation necessary for the completion of the cruiser.

When completed the Cincinnati will have cost approximately $3,000,000.

LAWS OF 1921 OUT

Laws passed by the 1921 New Hampshire legislature have been published in pamphlet form and distributed to the public libraries. Any citizen may obtain a copy by applying to the local library or the Secretary of State, Concord, N. H.

EDWIN O. BEAN, Secretary.

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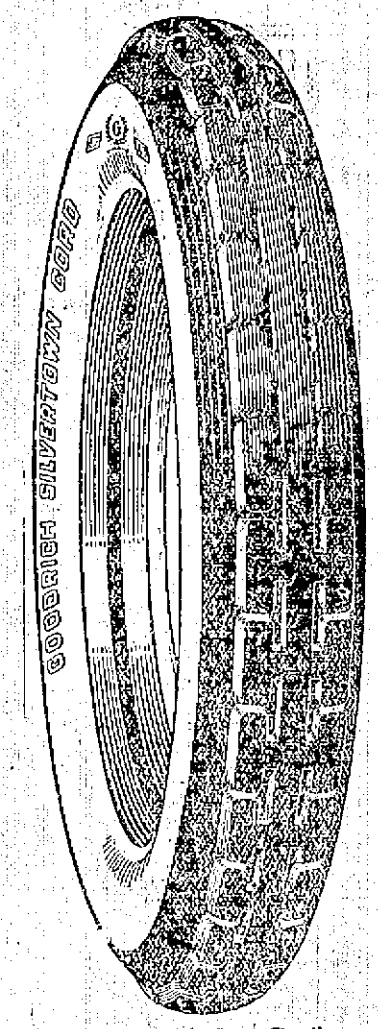

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KITTERY

Kittery, May 17.—Plough Hand be firm and Pencil Point be fine, a Crooked Ruler means a Crooked Line.

When in need of any flower or vegetable plants, call Parson's Green House as usual. h 31 m16

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Varney are enjoying out door life at Sebago Lake this week. Some of their friends are sort of expecting they may be presented with a nice salmon on their return, because we are told they carried their fishing equipment with them.

There is to be an entertainment and sale given by the Ladies' Union in the building of the People's Society Wednesday evening, May 18.

There was a meeting of the Nursing Association Monday afternoon. Miss Baxter, who has been attending the Red Cross Convention in Boston gave a very interesting account of it.

Regular meeting of Kittery Grange this Thursday evening.

Frank Tibbets has concluded his duties at the local yard and returned to his home in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews and Mrs. Maud Towner of Rochester were the guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] have finally passed the week end in Reading, Mass.

Prayer meetings this evening at both local churches.

The Girls' Friendship Society of St. Johns church of Portsmouth are to present two plays, [illegible] Picture and The Movie Test at Wentworth Hall for the benefit of Clinton Hayes No. [illegible] May 24.

The Riverside Reading club are to observe guest night at the Community House, Kittery Point, Friday evening next. There will be a business meeting called at 7 o'clock. Supper will be at 6.30 o'clock followed by an entertainment.

Prayer meeting at the 1st Methodist church North Kittery will be held tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Prince of Portsmouth have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Berry of Woodlawn Ave.

Hiram and Alonzo Howard, twin brothers, were tendered a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Howard on Woodlawn Ave., by the shipwrights and shipfitters, Saturday evening, guests being present from Portsmouth, Nottingham, Raymond and Epping. A pleasant evening was passed in a social way, violin solos and Victrola selections were rendered and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The brothers were presented with gold Masonic fobs sets consisting of tie pins and cuff links.

The Austin School Parent-Teachers Association met last evening at the school. A most enjoyable time was passed. A short program consisting of remarks by the President Rev. John Graham, reading Mrs. Elmer J. Burnham, fine selections on the Victrola and a very interesting talk given by Miss Aldrich of Portsmouth. The next meeting will be held on June 6.

Your reporter wishes to state that not all items appearing in this column pass through the hands of your reporter. Kindly take this into consideration.

On Sunday morning at the 2nd Christian church a most earnest and intensely interesting sermon and one filled with inspiration to the hearers for better living, was preached by the Rev. M. L. Everett. Subject, What the King Requires. He was followed with the closest attention by the congregation which is increasing each Sunday. Most acceptable music was furnished by the choir both morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Hall was present in the evening and gave a very interesting account of the work done by the Forward Movement of the Christian Denomination.

There will be a demonstration of the Western Electric Washing machine and Vacuum sweeper at the Hobbs & Sterling store Thursday. A new delivery auto has been placed to serve the customers of this store.

STARTS ON LONG WALK FROM PHILA. TO LAKE SUNAPEE

Sunapee, May 17.—Herbert Welsh, of Germantown, Pa., who has a summer cottage at Lake Sunapee, left today with two companions to make his seventh walk of 500 miles, expecting to cover an average of 20 miles per day, arriving at Sunapee about June 10.

ELECTRIC VAULT ALARM

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RESOURCES

Loans and other Securities	$1,398,559.07
United States Bonds	451,420.00
Banking House and Fixtures	40,522.50
Cash and due from Banks	250,026.67
	$2,140,938.24

LIABILITIES

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	109,452.47
Circulation	140,200.00
Bills Payable	45,836.42
Federal Reserve Bank	269,086.66
Deposits	1,429,212.49
	$2,140,938.24

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TONIGHT
Alice Lake in
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CANADA WILL FIGHT U. S. EMERGENCY TARIFF

(By Associated Press)

Ottawa, Canada, May 16—Proposal culminating against the Canadian farm for either an embargo or a heavy ex- goods made it necessary that the gov- port tax on pulp wood was made in commit- the something of this kind the house of parliament today by E. M. the United States was depending W. Caldwell, a farmer member of the upon Canada for the greater part of New Brunswick district. He said that for pulp wood supply.

BENSON SAYS U. S. ON SEA FOR ALL TIME

London.—Admiral Benson, Chairman of the United States Shipping Board, writing on the future of the American Merchant Marine in the publication Fairplay, says: "America is upon the sea to stay. Who can doubt that she will, after witnessing the wonderful—almost undreamed of—accomplishments during the world war?

"America has expended $4,000,000,000 to make a place for herself upon the seas, and has made that place and will undertake earnestly to retain it, there is sufficient commerce for all the nations to thrive upon.

"It should not be forgotten that the ruthless enemy practically wiped out a good part of the most efficient part of our overseas shipping. If America had not by its shipbuilding made up for this lack in world shipping ocean rates would be nearly today.

"I, for one, am optimistic as to the future of the American Merchant Marine. The shipping of the entire world is now in a period of depression, but I believe that within a short time we shall see a turn for the better; in fact, even now there are indications of a revival.

"We are now ship independent, and we must, and will strive to maintain that independence."

ADAMLESS EDEN IN LONDON

London.—What is described as an "Adamless Eden" is about to be opened here in the form of a small park where London working girls may eat their midnight undisturbed by young men.

The plan originated with the Metropolitan Public Gardens Association which is seeking to obtain for the purpose four acres of waste land near Hyde Park.

FEDERAL TROOPS ARE NOT NEEDED

Washington, May 16—Federal troops are not needed in the strike district along the Kentucky and West Virginia border, the war department announced late this afternoon. This was based upon a report by Major Thompson, a staff officer, who was sent into the district for observation and who reported to his commanding officer Major General Reed of Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. He said the conditions on the Kentucky side were nearly normal and that Governor Morrow had the situation well in hand and that on the West Virginia side the conditions were improving.

N. Y. LOSES APPEAL FOR 80-CENT GAS

Washington, May 16—The supreme court today dismissed for want of jurisdiction the appeal of the City of New York from decrees of lower courts holding that the 80-cent gas law was unconstitutional. The dismissal was ordered on the ground that the city had no property rights which had been taken by the state.

ESTATE TAX NOW VALID

Washington, May 16—The estate tax provided in the revenue act of 1916 was held valid today by the supreme court in passing upon the appeal of executors of the estate of J. Hanson Phillips of New York, Senate was paid under the laws contested. Included from the gross estate upon which a tax is fixed under the federal revenue act of 1916. The court upheld in affirming decrees of federal courts in New York.

READING SEEKS TO PLACATE AGITATOR

Simla, India, May 16—The Earl of Reading, viceroy of India, had a long interview with Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi, leader of the Indian Nationalists here on Friday.

Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi is an ascetic whose political ambitions in Great Britain's vast Indian Empire have succeeded in developing a Nationalistic sentiment among the low caste Hindus. When announcement was made that the Earl of Reading had been appointed viceroy of India despatches declared that he owed his appointment to his brilliant achievements in diplomacy, and that his first task in India would be to meet and placate Gandhi.

At a congress held in Nagpur in 1920, Gandhi, whose popularity among the Hindus appeared to have attained almost Messianic proportions, made a plea against violence, but called to the destruction of the British Empire, declaring that the success of the movement might involve "wading through oceans of blood."

N. E. NOW HEEDING HER OWN PHOBLEMS

(By Associated Press)

Boston, May 16—The New England industrial problems, which have brought on the reason why industries are leaving and other questions were taken up by the New England Council today. The St. Lawrence waterway project and the development of the Boston harbor were under consideration. A letter endorsing the movement was received from Secretary of War John W. Weeks, who said that New England had contributed generously of its children and resources to the country and now should give heed to some of her own problems. He said that the principal problem was that of the railroads and that New England could not hope to retain a place in world commerce unless the railroads were built up financially.

MRS. MEAD AT HIGH SCHOOL

Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead addressed the pupils of the High school Monday morning on the subject, "The New Education." The speaker traced briefly the growth of civilization, showing how the development of the spiritual side of humanity gave way the acquisition of wealth and force, culminating in the World War.

In the new education, Mrs. Mead would stress the spiritual side of life and teach human beings how to live together in peace.

The address was instructive and was much enjoyed by both pupils and teachers.

TWO WOMEN NOMINEES FOR PARLIAMENT

Belfast, April 27.—Selection of Ulster Unionist candidates for the election on May 24 has been practically completed, and party leaders are centering attention on the campaign.

The nominees represent practically all classes of the community—labor, professional, manufacturing and farming elements. The labor men, however, are drawn from the Unionist ranks and do not include realists and members of the Independent Labor Party, some of whom have been allied with Bolshevism and the Sinn Fein.

Two women have been designated to make the race for the Unionist party. They are Mrs. [illegible] to Moyola Park, who will [illegible] for the County and City of Derry, and Mrs. M. M'Mordie [illegible].

Many names prominent in the civic and political life of Belfast and Ulster do not appear in the list of candidates as announced, but there is yet opportunity for their selection in the Senate, upon the members of this body are named later as the lower house.

Ulster is entitled to 17 members in the lower house, divided as follows: Belfast City, 10 members; County Down, eight members; County Antrim, seven members; County Armagh, four members; County and City Derry, five members; Counties Tyrone, Fermanagh, three members; Queen's University, four members.

Of the 19 Sinn Fein candidates for Ulster, nine are at present in jail and at least half of the remainder are "on the run."

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SENATE MAY HOLD UP BLAIR NOMINATION

Washington, May 16—The first test of strength over the nomination of David H. Blair of North Carolina to be United States Commissioner of internal revenue is likely to come this afternoon at an executive session of the senate committee on finance. The indications are that the administration has a sufficient number of votes to report the nomination out of committee and to secure confirmation in the senate by a narrow margin, possibly only eight or ten votes, notwithstanding the republican majority is twenty-two.

Opposition to confirmation of the Blair appointment was first voiced by Senator Hiram Johnson two weeks ago. The California senator based his opposition on two points, that as commissioner Mr. Blair would be called on to pass in connection in which his family is directly interested, and that, although the presidential primaries in which he was nominated in the Chicago convention went overwhelmingly for Mr. Johnson, he voted consistently for Mr. Harding. The charges made by Mr. Johnson resulted in the nomination being sent back to the finance committee. It was believed at one time that the President might withdraw the nomination but apparently he has decided against withdrawal.

Views differ regarding the executive hearings which the committee has held in the last week. Strong administration supporters say that the Johnson charges have not been proved, whereas opponents of Blair declare that a complete case has been made, that the Johnson charges have been broadened. According to statements heard at the capital it has developed that John A. Moorhead has a law case pending on which Mr. Blair as commissioner would have to pass. Mr. Moorhead is the republican member from North Carolina and Mr. Blair is one of his lieutenants.

While the opponents of Mr. Blair fear they are waging a losing fight they are determined to stick to it until the senate actually votes. It is believed most of the democratic senators will vote against confirmation. One democrat who is expected to vote for confirmation is Senator Simmons of North Carolina. He is understood to have told the committee that Mr. Blair will make an excellent commissioner and that under the North Carolina primary law he had a perfect right to vote for Mr. Harding rather than Mr. Johnson for the Presidential nomination.

The progressive republican senators will line up with Mr. Johnson against confirmation and the interesting report is being circulated that two of the conservative republicans will join with the California. However, everything indicates that the nomination will be confirmed eventually.

AMERICANS IN RUSSIA EAGER TO ESCAPE

Riga.—Choice of a home is not permitted in the land of the Bolsheviki, according to persons reaching here from Russia. Everything belongs to the government which doles it out to citizens.

Special passports have been assigned to persons from America as Soviet officials consider them unreliable people that must be kept apart from others. Everybody knows these "Americans" by their sad faces and [illegible]. They do not answer if spoken to in Russian, but their faces betray if some one appears who knows English, and especially the American vernacular.

"Don't you speak English?" is their first question followed quickly by the inevitable request: "Is there any way to get back to America?" But there is no way out, for Russia is locked in.

WEEKS WILL NOT SEND U. S. TROOPS

Washington, May 16—Senator Sutherland of West Virginia called on Secretary Weeks today to urge him to promulgate the proclamations signed Saturday by President Harding declaring martial law in the strike area in West Virginia and Kentucky.

Senator Sutherland also urged the immediate despatch of federal troops to the strike district. Before calling on the Secretary, Senator Sutherland talked to Governor Morgan of West Virginia over the telephone. He said the governor believed the presence of federal troops imperative if law and order is to be restored in the riot region. Martial law, in addition to the presence of the troops, should be much preferred by the West Virginia authorities, Senator Sutherland said in order that the military officials might have complete power to take charge of the situation.

Secretary Weeks said his information was that the situation was much improved and that the presence of 200 special deputy sheriffs and two companies of Kentucky national guardsmen called into service was sufficient to restore order. The proclamation declaring a state of martial law rested upon his desk, he added, and would remain there until he had information that the situation has become much more serious.

Secretary Weeks and Senator Sutherland then called on President Harding at the White House to lay the situation before him and later Secretary Weeks called Governor Morgan on the telephone. The secretary said Major-General Read, commanding the Fifth Army Corps area, does not see a present necessity for sending federal troops to the strike district.

H. W. Weaver of Rheems, Penn., has read the Bible from cover to cover 20 times in the past 17 years.

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A Time to Stand Pat.

Congressman Towner of Iowa, one of the joint authors of the educational bill known as the Smith-Towner bill, now before Congress, delivered an address at Tufts College a few evenings ago in which he dwelt on the necessity of the government taking charge of the country's educational work, as viewed from his standpoint. This paper recently had something to say on this subject, taking the position that educational work should remain in the hands of the states, where it belongs, and where it will remain unless the people are carried off their feet by this agitation in favor of "spreading out" and turning the control of the schools over to the federal government. And nothing that Mr. Towner said in this address has changed the views set forth in that comment.

Mr. Towner says there is a great amount of illiteracy in the country, as shown by the census and examinations for the army draft, and thinks the remedy lies in government intervention. He said that in a democracy it is necessary that education should be general among the citizens, and there is no room for argument on that point. He further said that the government's work in furthering education should be co-ordinated and brought under the head of a single department represented by a member of the President's cabinet. That would be well enough, too, if the work were to be turned over to the government, but it is to be hoped it will be a long time before this is done, as it certainly will be if the people realize the danger of relinquishing control of affairs which ought to remain under local jurisdiction.

Mr. Towner says the teachers are poorly paid, that many schools have been closed for the lack of teachers and that many teachers are not properly qualified for their work. He says the average pay of teachers in the United States is about $700 a year. This, if true, proves that many of them must be working at extremely low pay. Who knows of a community in which any one is teaching for less, or much less, than $700 a year?

But, after all, the question of pay is not the question at issue. This is whether the various states shall retain control of their educational work or turn it over to the federal government to be placed under a single head having supervision of the schools in all parts of this broad land.

It is a bold proposition and one that should not be entertained for a moment. Illiteracy may be a menace to democracy, but that is no reason why the people should surrender their democracy, which this educational bill invites them to do. After the schools of such a country as this have been placed in the hands of the federal government it will be time to stop talking about democracy and to recognize that we have taken a long step toward adopting the German system.

What Mr. Towner has to say about the prevalence of illiteracy and its attendant dangers sounds very much like propaganda, instituted to prepare the ground for his proposal to nationalize the country's educational work. If the people know their business they will turn the project flatly down and resolve to keep in their own hands a work that most closely affects their families and their homes. In spite of all that may be said to the contrary they have shown a capacity to do this in the past, and they will make a grievous mistake if they permit themselves to be talked into an acceptance of the proposed change.

Rev. E. B. Pike of Brentwood is to be congratulated on reaching his 88th birthday in the excellent condition in which it found him. Perhaps this is to be accounted for partly by the fact that he is a dentist and a physician as well as a minister, and therefore in a better position than the ordinary man to look after the welfare of both body and soul.

A law has just been passed in Massachusetts providing that any voluntary association of five or more members can sue or be sued. The labor unions fought its enactment and will now resort to the initiative and referendum in the hope that it can be defeated at the next state election, which comes in 1922.

Secretary Wallace is in favor of federal regulation of the meat packing industry, but the packers are against it and it is safe to say that the public is not very enthusiastic for it. Right or wrong, the average consumer feels that he has been helped mighty little by interference of the government in business.

The graves of American soldiers buried in France are to be decorated on Memorial Day at a cost of about $30,000, and President Harding has contributed $25 to the fund. American soldiers, living and dead, have no stauncher friend than the man in the White House.

Mrs. Michael Scalzo of New Haven, Conn., recently gave birth to four healthy children. Should this sort of thing threaten to become general something more than an emergency immigration law might be necessary.

If the performance of some of the hens in this vicinity are a sample of what has been going on in other parts of the country it is easy to understand why the price of eggs is down so close to "normalcy."

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Increase in Divorces

(Boston Herald)

The steady increase in the number of divorces granted each year throughout the United States points to a serious problem. In 1901 the total number of divorces was slightly more than 61,000; last year it had increased to nearly 133,000 and there is every probability that the figures for 1921 will be several thousand larger. This represents a rapidity of increase far outnumbering the national growth in population if it is continued for another two or three decades we shall have an exceeding embarrassing problem on our hands.

It will not do to put the entire blame for this situation upon a few states in which the laws relating to divorces are lax. Nevada of course, has the highest divorce rate of any state in the Union but this does not mean that Nevada contributes even a smaller fraction of the nation's total. The entire annual output of the Reno divorce courts does not equal that of any large eastern city. More divorces are annually granted in Chicago for example than in any one of forty states in the Union. The heaviest contributions to the national divorce statistics are made by the populous states all over the country, Massachusetts included. Only one state among the 48, South Carolina, permits no divorces for any reason whatsoever.

The number of children named in divorce decrees during the past twenty years is nearly a million and a half. This means that our courts are making far too many orphans, or half orphans in the endeavor to salve the feelings of men and women who believe themselves to be unhappily married. Our legislators who make the rules by which the courts are guided have probably not given enough heed to this tragic aspect of the whole problem. No simple legislative remedy, however, will avail to set the situation right.

Empty Bins vs. Huge Coal Stores

(From the Philadelphia Public Ledger)

Empty bins in the homes and huge stores of mined coal at the mines and at rail terminals form a combination that is not wholesome. And when to the situation is added the fact that there are at present thousands of idle coal cars, a situation is presented that is neither reasonable or altogether safe. Officials at Washington are taking cognizance of these conditions and are seeking ways and means to break down what has come to be known as the "buyers' strike" and to bring about the utilization of idle cars at a time when the railways need the traffic.

Price conditions undoubtedly account for the tardiness of many consumers of domestic coal to lay in their winter stores. There is lacking the customary incentive of a spring reduction and a progressive increase as the months pass—or at least such a reduction as shall convince the public that it is something real and is not a mere prelude to another advance to cover the state tax on anthracite. If the public could once be convinced that the price that was being asked is equitable, the delay in buying would soon correct itself; but there is lacking that conviction.

Until the coal trade as a whole can reestablish confidence in its good faith in its dealing with the ultimate consumers, there will continue to be the same sort of trouble that is confronting dealers today. Past experience when increased wages of the miners or their palpable advances in costs have been deliberately multiplied when the retail bills came to be paid, justify the fear that the new state tax may also be made the pretext for fresh extortions of which the domestic consumer is to be the victim. It is partly because the public cannot see the justice of having to pay fifty cents for every 20 cents increase in the cost of mining, nor understand the equity of conditions which make certain coal-carrying railroads closely affiliated with the mining industry so preternaturally prosperous, that deep-rooted suspicion characterizes the attitude of the average consumer toward the coal trade—miners, operators, carriers and distributors.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

Portsmouth, N. H., May 17, 1921.

To the Editor of the Herald:

Dear Sir—I see in your paper of Saturday an article relating to the late William Jordan. It stated that he was the only man from New Hampshire who lost his life on the battleship Maine. There were four young men from New Hampshire—William Joseph Jordan, private, U. S. M. C., from Tilton N. H., enlisted in the U. S. M. C. at Boston, Mass., for five years, lost his life on the battleship Feb. 15, 1898; Clarence Edward Safford, gunner's mate, 1st class, from Keene, N. H., enlisted at Boston for three years in U. S. N., lost his life by the sinking of the battleship Maine Feb. 15, 1898; George Nelson Foster, corporal, U. S. M. C., from Haverhill, N. H., enlisted at the Marines April, 1898, and was assigned to guard duty over the Spanish prisoners at Seavey Island, Portsmouth, in 1898; he served 18 months on the Island of Guam, stationed at the Navy Yard at the Philippine Islands during the insurrection in 1901, and participated in many engagements. He was one of the 10 marines who lost their lives January, 1901, on the march from the town of Coyon to the sea shore, a distance of 120 miles, through a rough, mountainous country and jungles. Charles White, a veteran of the Spanish-American War, of the U. S. N., lost his life on the U. S. royal ship Nezonsed, Aug. 11, 1909. These men lost their lives while serving their country, and if the veterans of the Spanish-American War and the Philippines could only visit their graves on Memorial Day, and lay the wreath of remembrance, the flowers of affection, the white rose of purity, or the iron marker with the little flag of their country, we would be thinking of erecting a memorial tablet. But their bleaching bones are scattered. I believe the state or city or town should appropriate a sum of money to help defray the expense of a bronze tablet at the State House, or at the city that they belong.

JOHN F. CLIFFORD,
Historian of Camp Sidney.

NAVY YARD NOTES

Board Meets Today

Commander Lamar R. Leahy, U. S. Navy, of the bureau of navigation, Navy Department, has been detailed as recorder of the line selection board of which Admiral R. E. Coontz will be the president and which convened today at the Navy Department for the selection of officers for promotion to the grades of rear admiral, captain and commander.

100 Are Laid Off

The working force at the Charlestown navy yard was further depleted on Monday when 100 men, most of them employees in the hull division, were furloughed. It was said that there was no indication when they would be taken back. The furlough is for two weeks and if a man is not recalled at the end of that period he is automatically discharged. Some of those laid off had been in the yard 20 years.

Waiting for Eagle 15

The local yard is still looking for Eagle Boat No. 15 which is coming north to go out of commission and tie up.

Chief Takes a Bride

The marriage of Chief Yeoman Clinton L. Mayes of the naval prison and Miss Florence L. Powers of Jacksonville, Fla., took place recently in Boston. They will reside in Portsmouth. The chief is one of the most popular men attached to the prison and the congratulations have been hearty and numerous since he joined the benedict army.

Wants to Buy Chickens

The hen farm at the naval prison has nearly 1000 in the flock. The prisoners are showing great interest in poultry raising. The Commandant of the prison wants the number of birds increased and is anxious to purchase several Leghorn pullets and Rhode Island Reds.

Crews Are Drilling

The crews of the several submarines and destroyers have been granted the use of the prison grounds where they are daily engaged in military drills.

Have 775

The naval prison has a population of 775 which will shortly be increased over the 800 mark.

Will Visit Prisons

Rear Admiral Gardner lately appointed Judge Advocate General of the Navy, will soon visit the various naval prisons coming first to the institution at the local yard.

Collier on Way

The collier Anacoma is on the way to the local yard from Lambert's Point with 5000 tons of coal and should reach the harbor on Wednesday.

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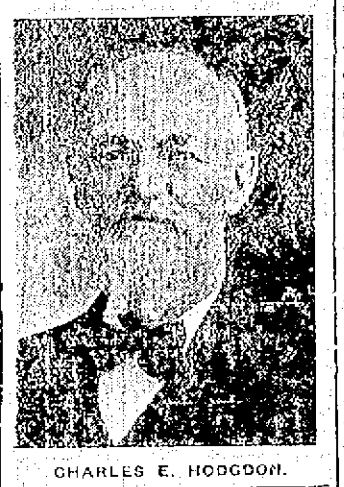
PROMINENT IN LODGE CIRCLES

Charles E. Hodgdon, Grand Patriarch of Odd Fellows, One of Our Best Known Citizens.

Charles E. Hodgdon, who was elected Grand Patriarch at the annual session of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., held in Concord last week, is one of Portsmouth's best known citizens, and one who has many friends. He is well known in lodge circles, being a member of fraternal organizations. He joined Osgood Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F. on Feb. 5, 1880; was Noble Grand from January to July, 1883, and has filled the offices in that order continuously as conductor and trustee for 30 years. He joined Strawberry Bank Encampment, Dec. 23, 1881, and was Chief Patriarch from July, 1883, to January 1, 1884. He became a member of Union Rebekah Lodge March 15, 1884. He is a charter member of Central Center, P. M., and served on the General's staff from 1900 to 1912. He is a member of the O. F. Home Corporation, representing Osgood Lodge in that body.

Mr. Hodgdon is a thirty-second degree Mason, a member of St. John's Lodge, N. H. Consistory, and Bektash Temple, Mystic Shrine, and order of Eastern Star. For a long time he has been a member of Strawberry Bank Grange, and has received all the degrees, including the national. He is past president of the Paul Jones Club, Sons of American Revolution.



CHARLES E. HODGDON.

In the church Mr. Hodgdon has always shown his interest, and is a member and has been a life-long attendant of the Middle Street Baptist Church, and its treasurer since 1905. He has served as a member of the board of assessors for 12 years, as a member of the local school board since 1897, and a member of the Franklin School Parent-Teacher Association. He was engaged in the ice business for about 40 years and has a fine farm of about 200 acres on Woodbury avenue, and raises much hay each season. His home is noted for its hospitality, as Mrs. Hodgdon is equally as popular as her husband, and interested in all things which are helpful and uplifting.

The following was the address given by Mr. Hodgdon at the Grand Lodge session:

"On Oct. 11 I visited Webster Encampment of Franklin; Oct. 15, Lafayette of Lucerne; Oct. 26, Tilton of Tilton; Oct. 29, Woodsville, with the grand officers of the Institute of Woodsville Encampment; Dec. 17, I held the district meeting with Ammonoosuc Encampment, at Lisbon. Dec. 22, at Lancaster, with Coos Encampment; Jan. 18, with Morning Star at Lebanon; Jan. 19, Wildey of Bristol; Feb. 18, Mt. Moriah of Derby; Mar. 11, Littleton of Littleton; Mar. 23, Waumbek of Plymouth. I have also attended a number of subordinate degree meetings and installations. In all of these gatherings I have been greatly helped by the attendance of my associate grand officers and Past Grand Representative, who have all been ready to spare neither effort nor expense for my behalf. They have travelled by night and by day, and have laid aside all personal duties and pleasures in order to reach the meetings, and do their part of the work on the floor, also encouraging and inspiring the officers and patriarchs to do their best, with the result that there has been a large gain in membership throughout the district.

"All the rituals in the district have been accounted for, and are in excellent condition. Also all books and papers. The accounts show a very small amount of unpaid dues.

"I have also accompanied the Grand Officers of other districts on their visitations at Hampton, Exeter, Dover, Manchester, Portsmouth and Rochester. In all these activities of this great Brotherhood, there is demonstrated a fulfillment of our admonitions to humanity which is one of the great corner stones of our Order, by the devotion manifested to the Stars and Stripes that is always conspicuous in every lodge room by the side of the War Service Flag, whose stars, representing in some lodges one-twelfth of its entire membership, and sprinkled with golden stars, a reminder of the terrible dissolution, ruin and destruction of the great war for righteousness, and for the fundamental principals, taken from the Divine Law and heralded by its founders into the very life and purpose of our beloved Order. We know that facing the great needs of the day and the problems which confront this war-wrecked world, that banner and the principles of Liberty for which it stands, will always have the support, at any cost, or sacrifice, of each and every true Odd Fellow in the work for Peace on Earth Goodwill toward men.

In closing I wish to extend my thanks to every Patriarch in the district for all their pleasant words and kind acts that have helped so much to make the work successful. I wish I could meet and thank them personally, and express my appreciation of the support they have given me. To you, Grand Patriarch, for your advice and brotherly assistance, the remembrance of which will always remind me of the pleasant years' work in the Lucania District."

EIGHT MONTHS FOR MR. FOSTER

Alleged Raymond Riot Leader Goes to Jail Until Next January.

Exeter, May 17.—Augustus Foster, of Haverhill, Mass., labor union organizer, who was tried and found guilty of inciting a riot at Raymond on Oct. 18, 1919, by a jury in the Rockingham County superior court, Feb. 2, 1920, was this morning given an eight months' jail sentence by Judge William H. Sawyer of Concord, who sat on the case when tried.

Foster was brought into court by his counsel, A. J. Doyle, of Nashua, who asked that he might be given as lenient a sentence as possible if the sentence prevailed, but Judge Sawyer stated that the matter of inciting a riot was a serious one, and imposed the sentence, with payment of costs.

Foster has been out on bail of $2,500 since the trial, pending sentence, the case twice having been argued before the Supreme Court by County Solicitor William H. Sleeper, of Exeter, then acting in that capacity, and each time the verdict of the Superior Court was sustained.

The trial aroused much interest when held here, commencing January 13, and was concluded February 2, during which time many shoe workers in Raymond were summoned as witness.

The riot was said to have resulted by a party of Haverhill, Mass., shoe workers, who came to Raymond, led by Foster, to a dance on the night previous, and when the workers were going into Close-Chamberlain Shoe factory next morning, where a strike was in progress, many of them were alleged to have been assaulted by the party led by Foster. One, George Bowers, was seriously injured as testimony was shown in the court during the trial.

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N. H. LEGISLATURE ASSOCIATION HERE JUNE 23

On June 23, the members of the New Hampshire Legislature of 1921 will come to this city for their first annual outing and reunion. President O. L. Frisbee and the committee decided that point on Tuesday afternoon. At the luncheon the Mayor gave an address on how these members could cooperate with the city to the interest of the development of the Navy Yard and the harbor. The thanks of the committee for their reception was expressed by Senator Conway. Captain de Steiger, of the Navy Yard, gave a talk to the committee. This morning the Mayor received the following:

Portsmouth, May 16, 1921.

Mayor F. W. Hartford:

Dear Mayor—The reunion of the Legislature will be held June 23, 1921, and we invite you to welcome the members to the city at the reunion, 10 a. m.

Sincerely,
OLIVER L. FRISBEE,
Pres. of Legislature Asso.

MASONIC BODIES OF GRANITE STATE MEET

Concord, May 17.—The meetings of the Masonic grand bodies of the state opened this afternoon with the 100th annual assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters. Wallace C. Keith, past grand master of the Grand Council of Massachusetts, and Alvah G. Cilley, past master of Boston Council, were guests of honor.

A jewel was presented to retiring Grand Master Charles G. Adams of Claremont.

Officers elected today are: William D. Chandler, Concord, grand master; George F. Blood, Nashua, deputy grand master; Hoyle W. Jenkins, Portsmouth, grand principal conductor of the work; Edward H. Currier, Manchester, grand treasurer; Harry M. Cheney, Concord, grand recorder.

Joseph B. Bartlett, Derry, grand captain of the guard; John A. Blackwell, Concord, grand conductor of the council; Rev. Jesse G. MacMurphy, Derry Village, and Rev. William H. Morrison, Nashua, grand chaplains; Bert L. Stebbins, Claremont, grand marshall; Arthur M. Dunnlan, Tilton, grand steward.

George W. Weaver of Bellefonte, Penn., although only 63, has a great-grandchild who is older than his youngest daughter. He has married twice and his oldest granddaughter married Edward Askey and their eldest son, 13, is older than Mr. Weaver's young daughter by his second marriage. The young girl is greataunt to the lad who was born before her.

In its existence of more than half a century, the University of Minnesota has had five presidents, and all of them are still living.

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OBSEQUIES

Frank B. Wiggin

The funeral of Mr. Frank B. Wiggin was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from his late home on the Greenland road and was largely attended by friends and neighbors. Rev. L. H. Thayer D. D. officiated and interment took place in Harmony Grove cemetery. The bearers were four nephews George T. Wiggin, Frank W. Randall, William J. Randall and Thos. W. Wiggin. Undertaker J. Verne Wood was the funeral director.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY CARES FOR DOCUMENTS

Concord, May 17.—The Governor and council have authorized the transfer of all of the provincial records which have heretofore been kept in safe vaults in the office of the Secretary of State in the State House to the New Hampshire Historical Society Building for future custody.

The transfer of the documents will give to the New Hampshire Historical Society a collection of the archives of its own state which is unequalled by any other historical society in the United States. There are several hundred volumes of original records involved in the transfer which is for custody only, the property title of the papers remaining with the state.

The action was taken to relieve the congestion in the state vaults, and to place the papers where they would be more accessible to the people of the state, and where they could be used in connection with a library of historical books.

NOTICE OF REDUCTION

May 16, 1921.

In order to compete with local competition, the undersigned will return to pre-war scale of wages for Carpenter Work. Estimates given on new or old work. Call or Telephone.

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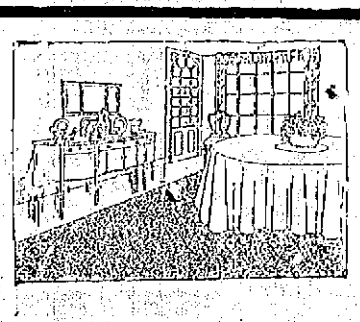

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CHAUTAUQUA FOR PORTSMOUTH AUG. 29-SEPT. 3

The members of the Portsmouth Redpath Chautauqua Association met at the Chamber of Commerce rooms on Monday evening with about thirty present, Joseph P. Conner, President, presiding, and Secretary and Treasurer John H. McPhee. The dates and programme for the season was announced as follows:

1st day. Organization of Junior Chautauqua. P. M. Musical Prelude, Tuskegee Colored Singers. Address, "The Man Who Can," Wm. Rainey Bennett. Evening, Grand Concert, Tuskegee Colored Singers.

2nd Day a. m. Lecture, "The Great American Home," Cotton Noe of University of Kentucky. P. M. Address, "Current Concerns of the Republic," Martin G. Brumbaugh, Ex-Gov. of Penn. Evening, Grand Concert, Great Lakes String Quartette.

3rd day a. m. Lecture, "The Boy Problem," Howard G. Burdge of State Educational Dept., Albany, N. Y. P. M. Address, "A Man's Thinking," E. Fattison Kline. Evening, Modern Play "Turn to the Right."

4th day a. m. Lecture, "The New Education," Nathan N. Gist. P. M. Concert by "The Serenaders," a mixed quartette. Evening, Prelude by "The Serenaders." Address "The World and America," Sir John Foster Fraser.

5th day, afternoon. Children's Entertainers, Clemmon's Marionettes, Hugh Fitzpatrick Clown, Punch and Judy. Evening, Light Opera "Pirates of Penzance."

6th day. Children's Pageant in morning. P. M. Mitchell Bros. Banjoists. Chas. H. Jordan, "Back to the Farm." Evening, Mitchell Brothers, Banjoists. Opie Read, Novelist and Poet discusses "Human Nature in Politics."

LATEST THING IN RACING BOATS

The Montlegh boats, the latest thing in racing craft, built by N. W. Morgan of Gloucester, attracted considerable attention in this city, as they were passing through to points in Maine on automobile trucks. The boats are well made on a control model and are absolutely uniform. Everything, including sails, spars, rigging, material, construction, etc., is absolutely standard, making them especially desirable where uniformity is so important. They are well built, strong, staunch little craft, that will carry full sail in a stiff breeze, and on any point of sailing handle with an easy helm under the most severe conditions, and will luff from any point on to off the wind without trimming the sheet. They are quick in stays, and have none of the eccentricities of the old-style cats, and are unusually safe and well adapted for the young people.

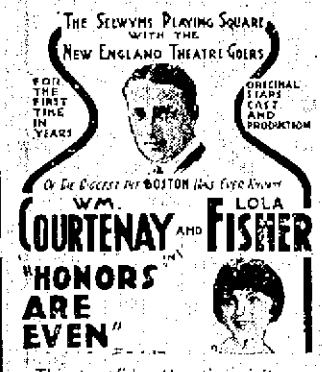
The spars are of airplane spruce, and the sails of No. 1 Egyptian cotton made up in the best possible manner, with flexible wire luff rope and black sail covers. Instead of the old-time mast hoops the sails run on Tobin bronze track and slides. The frame and finish is of oak, planking of white pine, and deck, canvas covered. The top sides are painted with Rhoolin enamel with gold-leaf stripe and bottom with Montgomery Blue (non-fouling).

Several of the boats are in use by the New York Yacht Club and other wellknown yachting clubs.

Portsmouth Theatre

THURSDAY, MAY 19

Prices: $2.00, $1.50, $1.00, 75c



This bonafide attraction visits you after 16 record weeks in Boston.

All the dramatic critics of the Boston newspapers have guided you to see the hit of the year.

Owing to elaborate production, curtain will rise at 7.15 p. m.

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PERSONALS

Charles E. Walker has purchased the residence of George H. Joy, 321 Middle street.

Winfield I. Caswell of the Coast Guard office is passing ten days at his former home in Manchester.

Mrs. Harry G. Spencer of Barrington is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ida Berry of Manning street.

Miss Dorothy McKenna is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from her duties at the local telephone exchange.

Mr. Halpein of this city left today for New York to bring back his people who have just arrived from Russia.

Miss Grace O'Brien, bookkeeper at Parras store, is passing a vacation of two weeks in Boston, Mass., and Hartford, Conn.

Norman Haines of Greenland, a student at Bowdoin College, class of '21, was recently elected as secretary of the Bibs, the senior honorary society of the college.

Israel S. Fletcher of Whidden street who has been confined to the house several weeks with neuritis was able to walk out a short distance today and was warmly greeted by his many friends.

Philip L. McGuire, formerly of the Atlantic Corporation and who has just completed his duties as Director of the Field Organization of Boston College Fund Campaign, is in the city. He was a visitor at the Mayo's office.

One of the lecture rooms of the English language section in the University of Paris has been named for the late Professor Barrett Wendell of Harvard College. Professor Wendell, who was one of Portsmouth's distinguished summer residents, delivered the first of his lectures there when he was exchange professor to France. Mrs. Wendell has recently sailed for France to be present at the dedicatory exercises.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

This afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. House, there will be the regular weekly meeting of the Freshman Corps. Probably this corps, with the others, will want to celebrate May 21 as Service Day. This day has been set aside by the Y. W. C. A's throughout the country as Service Day, and thousands of Girl Reserves will be doing extra deeds of kindness on this day. This day will be celebrated in honor of Miss Grace Dodge, the founder of the Y. W. C. A.

Tomorrow night, at the Y's Hall, there will be a most important meeting of the Senpethinko Club. There are many things to consider that cannot wait until the next regular business meeting, and these matters will be taken up before the regular discussional part, which tomorrow night will be the discussion of the parts of the Girl Reserve Code. The presence of every member is needed to help settle some vital questions.

The Ever-Ready Club, in charge of Miss Sykes and Miss Jones, is planning a very attractive May Party, and this will probably be held this week some time. There will be a May Queen and some lovely looking folks. The mothers of these children are cordially invited to attend.

Preparations are now under way for the musical comedy to be given for the Y. W. C. A. on June 8 and 9. This is going to be a most attractive entertainment, and it is hoped that a packed house will be the result of much work on the part of the committee in charge.

ELIOT HIGH SCHOOL

Rev. and Mrs. Charles H. Berry were visitors at the high school last week.

Rev. George Matthews of Old Orchard was a welcome caller at the high school, Friday, May 13, bringing to the teacher and students a bountiful supply of luscious Florida mangoes.

The Classay Trio of the Williams Musical Agency of Boston, drew a good sized house Friday evening and gave an entertainment of real merit. The selections were appreciated by the audience as proved by the repeated encores. The vocal rendition of "Ave Maria" by Master Winslow Rouse, the thirteen year old boy soloist of Trinity church, Boston, was reported by some present as the best they ever heard.

An unusually fine feature of the program was the harp solos by Miss Perkins and the skillfully executed violin selections by Miss Read.

Many of the townspeople have expressed much interest in the unique programs gotten out for the Taggart and Classay Trio entertainments.

Wreaths, sprays, made just as you wish them, while you wait. Pearson's little store around the corner.

Chocolates 19c lb. at Pearson's.

OFFICERS CHOSEN BY GOLDEN RULE CIRCLE, K. D.

The closing meeting of the season of the Golden Rule Circle of King's Daughters of the Baptist church proved an especially interesting one and nearly 70 members were in attendance at the gathering held in the Baptist chapel. Four of those present were over 80 years of age.

The meeting opened with the usual business session and the annual election of officers took place as follows:

Leader—Mrs. Manning Akerman.
Vice Leader—Mrs. Thomas H. Sterling.
Secretary—Mrs. James M. Barrett.
Treasurer—Mrs. Dixon.

The report of the year's work was most gratifying to the Circle. The treasurer's report showed that the Circle had earned over $500 during the year and this has all been spent in benevolent purposes. The Circle has given $25 to every drive this city has had, including the Salvation Army drive which is now being carried on.

A gift of five dollars from Mrs. Eliza Locke of South street to complete the silver fund was gratefully received, her thoughtfulness in making the gift being much appreciated and when it was announced there was liberal applause. The Circle has provided the chapel with over $300 worth of silver plated ware, this including 12 dozen forks, 12 dozen knives, 12 dozen teaspoons, 1 dozen tablespoons and 6 dozen coffee spoons.

At the conclusion of the business session an experience party was held, this being an annual affair with the Golden Rule Circle. Eighty dollars was raised and those present gave their experiences in earning a dollar and some of these caused no little merriment. One member was given a dollar by her husband if she would stay home all one day.

Refreshments were served and all enjoyed the sociability of the occasion and really regretted that the season's meetings had come to a close. The Circle has been invited to have an outing at a later date at the summer cottage of Mrs. Amon O. Benfield at Wallis Sands.

The committee in charge was Mrs. Sidney Rand, Mrs. Florence Flanders, Mrs. Isaac Higginbotham, Mrs. Guy Corey, Mrs. Ethel McKenzie, Misses Susie Rand and Gertrude Corey.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Ida Marion Russell.

The death of Mrs. Ida Marion Russell, wife of Howell C. Russell, occurred Monday evening at her home, 112 Gates street, after a lingering illness, at the age of 62 years, 1 months and 27 days. Mrs. Russell was born in North Reading, Mass., the daughter of Osman B. and Sarah Gowing Jones. She had been a resident of this city for the past 32 years, coming here to reside after her marriage.

She is survived by her husband, one son, Harold O. Russell; three sisters, Mrs. William A. Hancroft, Mrs. William Kinsley of Reading, Mass., and Mrs. Arthur Austin of Meriden, Conn.

Mrs. Russell was a lady of many excellent characteristics and had many friends. She was devoted to her home and family and a kind neighbor and friend and her fine qualities endeared her to many. Her loss will be deeply felt in her home and by all those who knew her intimately.

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Lean Pork to roast.....23c
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Good Round Steak.....25c
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Large Roasting Chickens, 45c
Small Sugar Cured Hams, 25c
Sugar Cured Bacon.....22c
Short Cut of Rump.....45c
Heavy Salt Pork.....15c
Canned Tomatoes..2 for 25c
Large Lemons.....20c doz.
Large Grapefruit...4 for 25c
Large Oranges.....30c doz.
Mixed Pickles.....10c jar

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SPANISH FLIM-FLAM ARTIST IS STILL AT THE SAME OLD GAME

The Spanish flim-flam artist is still with us, and continues hunting international suckers. The latest appeal reached a Market street business man today. The bunko man writes the following:

Madrid 13, 4, 1921.

Dear Sir—being imprisoned here by bankruptcy, I beseech you to help me to obtain a sum of $360,000 I have in America, being necessary to come here to raise the seizing of my baggage, paying to the Registrar of the Court the expenses of any trial, and recovering my portmanteau containing a secret pocket, where I have hidden two checks, payable to bearer for that sum.

As a reward, I will give up to you the third part, viz: $12,000.

I cannot receive your answer in the prison, but you can send a cablegram to a person of my confidence, who will deliver it to me, addressed as follows:

Vela,
Lista Telegrafos-Madrid,
Noviembre 13.

Awaiting your answer to intrust you all my secret, now I sign only,

K. de S.

Proof of all answer by cable, not by letter.

Miss Ethel Sanford of Jamaica Plain is visiting relatives in this city.

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15c Can Tomatoes.....10c
12 Cans for.....$1.15
18c Can of Peas.....12½c
12 Cans for.....$1.40
Sweetened Cond. Milk....15c can
Dozen Cans for.....$1.70
Native Rhubarb.....4 lbs. 25c
Corned Beef, mild cured, lean, at.....12½c lb.

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The Rest of Our Stock Reduced Proportionately.

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NAVY YARDS ARE GETTING BIG CUT

There was a considerable lay-off at the navy yard on Monday, the inside machinists losing twenty-five men, and in addition other departments laid off men.

Apparently the lay-off is not confined to this yard, for at the Charlestown navy yard on Monday several hundred men were placed on an indefinite furlough. The greatest cut was in the hull division and lack of money was the reason given for the lay-off.

PANIC STARTS WHEN FRENCH TROOPS LEAVE

New York.—Announcement that the French troops would be withdrawn from the Cilicia district of Turkey as a result of negotiations with the Turkish Nationalists caused a panic among the Armenian residents there, says Dr. J. K. Martin, a relief worker at Aintab, in a report sent to the Near East Relief.

Dr. Martin said that most of the Armenians were leaving that city as fast as they could and that the poorer people who could not afford to leave were almost distraught with fear. The Turks have become bolder and more threatening since reports of the contemplated French evacuation were received.

The missionary quoted a reported boast of the Moslems that they would rebuild their shattered mosques and minarets with Christian skulls and says this has not failed to have its effect on the Armenians. Dr. Martin adds:

"An Armenian said to me: 'We would all of us go calmly, joyfully, to some desert place if only permission were given us. We would prefer to die of hunger and starvation many times rather than once again fall into the hands of the fiendish Turks.'

"The Armenians see themselves again going to the slaughter with not a hand in all the world raised in their defence or a voice uttered in protest. The nations of the world sit around, look on and continue to cast lots. Yet we trust that in some way, we do not know how, deliverance will come."

EXETER

Exeter, May 17.—Patrick J. Kennedy, supreme recording secretary of the Foresters of America; Thomas Smith, grand chief ranger, and Thos. McLoughlin and Charles Connor the delegates, left this morning for Claremont to attend the state convention to be held there. Following the convention, Mr. Kennedy goes to Rutland, Vt., on official business for the order, returning home the last of the week.

The funeral services of Mrs. Margarette V. Rowe, wife of James Rowe, were held this morning at the St. Michael's Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. D. J. Carter. Mrs. Rowe was born in Newfields, June 8, 1875, her maiden name being Evans. The burial was at the Birchlawn Junction Cemetery. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker F. J. Junkins.

Neighbors' night was observed this evening by Gilman Grange, Dudley and Fremont granges being invited to attend the regular meeting.

The annual fair day for the Exeter Cottage Hospital will be on June 1 this year.

MANY GERMAN PATRIOTS FORM CORPORATION

Berlin, May 16.—German patriots in the propaganda business on a commercial basis have formed a joint stock company to engage, according to its prospectus "in a systematic and well organized enlightenment service in all parts of the world." An advertisement asking subscriptions to the stock of the German domestic and foreign enlightenment service corporation at a par value of 500 marks, and recommending it as a good investment, appears in the conservative press.

The corporation will devote its attention "not only to the ostensible untruth about German guilt for the war, but also to all untruths circulated in the past or future about Germany and Germanism."

BERLIN, N. H., HAS A SOCIAL PROBLEM

Berlin, N. H., May 16.—A student of social and civic problems, looking for an opportunity to make a sociological survey or a first-hand study of one of the most mixed and interesting communities in New England, and perhaps in the whole country, is invited to consider the possibilities offered him in this city.

Call in the public library, and ask the alert and intelligent librarian for information regarding the city government, churches, schools, industries, races, health and mortality, strikes and wages, amusements, civic enterprises and the like, and you learn that no study of this municipality ever has been made from the viewpoint of the social worker; the only information in printed form available has to do with the history of the city, and especially its early history, and the material contained in the ordinary municipal reports.

Yet this city, a few miles north of the northern gateway to the White Mountains, is an anomaly in New England; the vast majority of its population speak foreign tongues. Its housing problem is as serious in ratio with its size as is the same problem in Boston or any other of the large cities of the land; it is a community of a single industry, and race works with race in the great paper mills yet each maintains its solidarity almost intact, although there have never been any serious inter-racial clashes.

Berlin is situated on the Androscoggin River, at a point where the stream has a fall of 240 feet to the mile, affording opportunities for water power long ago perceived. Down one side of the tumbling river comes the Grand Trunk Railway, up the other climbs the Boston & Maine. To the South the towering peaks of the White Mountains reach high into the sky, Mount Madison in the foreground, with the others of the Presidential Range visible from certain points in the city. The main street runs with the river, one section of the city back on the hillside contains some handsome residences, but the town conveys to the casuary observer precisely the impression that is made by a mill town in Pennsylvania or a mining town in the West—it is an industrial centre, with the mills as the great plant and homes and shops as subordinate but necessary accessories.

Walking through several of the chief thoroughfares the eye lights upon only a single dwelling that is suggestive of New England, a white and green, farm-house-like home standing near the spot where the first Berlin saw mill was erected nearly 70 years ago.

The population is conservatively put down at 15,000. Three of every four of the number are French Canadians, and of these a good half and perhaps more speak French habitually, English brokenly, and only upon occasion. Down at the Cossades are 500 Italians. There are 500 Russians nearer the centre, in the neighborhood of the upper mill is a large colony of Norwegians and Swedes. There are many Jews derived from all parts of eastern Europe. A full census doubtless would reflect the presence of score and half-hundreds of representatives of a dozen other races, including the German. The city has 2,000 "Americans" in the usual acceptance of the term.

The French have two very large Roman Catholic churches, a big hospital, and several big school buildings. The Italians attend the services in the French churches. The Russians have a church of their own. The Jews have a synagogue. The Swedes have a Lutheran and a Methodist church. The city also contains churches of the Congregational, Universalist, Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal denominations, and the Christian Scientists have a reading room. Several of these Protestant churches are small, and three have under way what may become a movement for consolidation.

French is the language of the parochial schools. If students continue their education beyond the grades there daught they must enter the public schools where English has to be employed. The younger members of these French Canadian families increasingly are acquiring English. But one who stands on the main street of the city at midnight, when one of the eight-hour shifts leaves the mills and another enters, hears a small babel of tongues, and only occasionally a sentence in the foundation language of the nation. It is a picturesque, a suggestive, a most interesting experience to watch these crowds going to and coming from their labor in the mills that line the river.

144 YEARS OLD; PRAYS FOR WORK

Constantinople.—Zora, the "human pack horse," who claims to be 147 years old and still can carry 200 pounds with ease, attributes his long life and health to hard work and proper diet. He has always been a carrier of heavy weights.

His rules of health are: Hard work, sleep, cold baths at night, no tobacco, no alcohol, no coffee, no meat, no oils, no butter, no drinking water but plenty of hot tea, honey, sugar, cakes, bread and cheese, particularly buttermilk or clabber. Every five years he takes a three months' rest in his native home in the country.

Whatever his age, Zora is a picture of health and physical vigor, mentally alert, benign, and frequently blessing the curious American sailors who visit him at his favorite cafe on the Galata water front.

He is five feet ten inches tall, deep breasted, and has the carriage of a soldier. He is almost bald, his face is long and covered with a shiny nut-brown skin.

His eyesight and memory are good and he recalls the days when the first steamship came to Constantinople. He says he worked as a peasant at Bitlis until the age of 37 when he came to Constantinople to work at the Turkish Arsenal and that he worked there for 80 years.

Zora has been married four times. All of his wives are dead, and all but two of his children. His son, Osman, aged 67, being in poor health, recently returned to Bitlis. His daughter, Gooli Hatem, aged 60, is married and healthy. Zora's father died at the age of 76 and his mother at the age of 81.

Zora isn't rich because of so many extensions in caring for his family. He lives in a Khan khan where he pays a dollar and a half a month for a place to sleep and hot water to make his tea.

"What I want is work," declared Zora. "Idleness will ruin my health. I'll pray all my life for him who giveth me work."

Health, happiness and wisdom come from work only.

Asked if he intended to join the Turkish Nationalist army, Zora smiled benevolently and shook his head. "I fought many times for my country and now I wish to end my life in prayer for the prosperity of the Empire," he said.

CONCORD UNIONS PLAN COOPERATIVE STORE

Concord, May 17.—Two delegates from each local labor union met last night at the call of Chairman Arthur Liberty of the Brotherhood of Railroad Carmen and made preliminary plans for the opening of a union cooperative store in this city.

HERSEY BROS. WIN FROM COX BROS.

The bowling match at the Central fire station last evening between the Cox and Hersey brothers, was one of the feature matches of the season. The Herseys, Perley and Brainard, were rolling in fine form and they rolled a good score. P. Hersey hit the pins for 999 for ten strings, a very fine average. His high single was 131. His brother knocked down 918 and this included one string for 125.

Everett Cox was high for the Cox brothers with 900 and he did not break a hundred. His brother Arthur, shot 869.

The score:

HERSEY BROTHERS

P. Hersey—106 100 98 84 131 79 91 104 86 111—990.

B. Hersey—81 85 87 91 99 82 99 125 96 73—918.

Total—1908.

COX BROTHERS

E. Cox—90 82 91 97 81 90 99 79 98 90—909.

A. Cox—81 103 82 100 85 88 80 81 83 86—869.

Total—1769.

CAMP SCHLEY ACTIVITIES

At the regular meeting of the Spanish War Veterans this evening in Grand Army Hall, final arrangements for the observance of Memorial Day will be made. An overflow meeting is looked for, as every veteran is interested in the fitting celebration of the day, and of paying a tribute to our departed comrades. Memorial or Decoration Day, universally observed by all our people, is doubly dear to the veterans.

The new department chief will pay his first official visit to the camp, and outline his proposed plans for the year. Recruiting is in full blast. There are still a few who have not joined, but every eligible member must be "mustered in" in a short time. Let's all help.

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NAVAL BILL MEETING BIG OPPOSITION

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 16—The half a billion naval appropriation bill was unable to make much headway today against the tide of opposition of the Borah disarmament and lengthy action prevented any addresses being taken on the amendments. It is expected that the disposition of the amendments will begin tomorrow. Senators Pomerene and La Follette maintained that the great expense of the navy was now unnecessary and Senator Pomerene was in favor of the Borah resolution along with one of his own to clothe the President with the authority to suspend work on capital ships for six months.

BIG PACIFIC FLEET BEING ASSEMBLED

Norfolk, Va.—Naval circles at this port are considerably stirred over the recent decision of the Navy Department to assemble a tremendous fleet on the Pacific coast. Already ships and other craft have been sent from here to join the already formidable fleet now in the Pacific.

At present elaborate plans are being made to further enlarge the fleet in the Pacific and within the next few months more ships and more men will be transferred from here to the Mare Island navy station.

Changes have been made in the personnel of the aviation forces that up to a few months ago were at air stations on Eastern Roads and other ports on the Atlantic. Several officers who formerly commanded flying divisions at the Hampton Roads operating base have been transferred to the Pacific for duty. Pensacola also sent three of its crack airmen to the Pacific.

After army and navy airmen completed the destruction of captured German warships off the Virginia Capes in June it is believed that some of the aviators now stationed on this side of the continent will be sent to the Pacific coast.

One of the big surprises of the year, even to navy men, was the recent order from the Navy Department to dispatch a whole division of submarines to the Pacific coast. Naval officers had believed the department would build submarines for duty in the Pacific, but it was believed the undersea fighters would be built at the Mare Island navy yard, or some shipbuilding plant near San Francisco.

A few weeks ago orders came from the department to prepare the entire "K" group of submarines for service in the Pacific. There are ten submarines in this group, numbered from one to ten, and they were all on this side of the continent, a part of the Atlantic fleet.

The underwater craft were ordered to the Norfolk Navy Yard, where they were overhauled, special attention being given to their machinery. After the repairs were completed, the little fleet, except K 10 (the mother ship, the Cuyama) went up to the base used by the Atlantic fleet during the war off Yorktown, Va. Here the submarines were put through all kinds of diving, speeding and signaling tests. A few minor changes were made in the machinery adjustments, and they were allowed to proceed to sea.

It is the first time in the history of the navy that ten submarines ever were selected for such a long voyage unaccompanied by larger warships. Only the Cuyama was selected to accompany the ten to the Pacific. In former days submarines were sent on long voyages on the decks of naval colliers. It was thought to be too dangerous an undertaking to commit these little underwater fighters to the dangers of the sea in doing. Their fuel storage capacity also was limited, and this handicap always was a serious drawback to sending submarines on voyages that required them to be more than ten days away from a supply base.

Why the Navy Department is assembling a big fleet on the Pacific coast is a matter of speculation. It is said in naval circles that the Pacific fleet will be much larger than the Atlantic fleet within two years. It already is equally as formidable.

The battleship New Mexico is the flagship of the Pacific fleet. She is equally as formidable as the battleship Pennsylvania, flagship of the Atlantic fleet. As a matter of fact, they are sister ships. They were built at Cobb on identical plans, and their armament is the same. Each ship has 12-14 inch guns. They are among the few ships of the world equipped with the biggest guns even on a battleship.

Other formidable warships are to be sent to the Pacific, also a flotilla of submarine destroyers. The battleship Tennessee is soon to be separated from the Atlantic fleet and sent to San Francisco to join Admiral Rodman's force. Short-time men are being transferred from the Tennessee and are ashore to await the expiration of their enlistment terms. Long-time men are being sent to the Tennessee to take their places.

THE MISAPPLIED SERMON

There were folks who called Widow Brown "horrid"
No one ever said she was good
For she was too newsy and talkative
Fathered scandal wherever she could
And though she was a church member
Tale bearing was her well known trait
She made this a pastime, a pleasure,
And delighted these tales to relate.

Her neighbors and the townsfolk were victims,
Her friends this failing all knew.
Each day she had new bits of gossip,
Her stories she said, "were all true!"
Her hearers were annoyed and indignant
And sought for some method, or way,
That they in a kind way might reach her,
And this grievous habit to stay.

So they went to the new village pastor
Asked him, most severely to preach,
A sermon on bearing false witness—
By Scripture this sister to reach.
The text, and the sermon was printed
His hearers all thought—Mrs. Brown
"Cannot fail to see her short-coming
And the trouble she makes in the town."

Sister Brown at the close of the service
Met him when he came down the aisle
Gave the pastor a most cordial handclasp,
And with it a radiant smile.
Said she, "You have my appreciation,
For the sermon you gave us today
It sure is the best you have preached us
Since you came to the village to stay."

"I should thought that Mehitable Parker
Would covered her face with shame
And that giggling, silly, May Preston
Whose dresses are giving her blame,
Maybe Mrs. Gray will stop wagging
Her bitter, meddlesome tongue,
I enjoyed every word of that sermon
Can say with the scripture, 'Well done.'"

"In their seats they all sat so complacent,
I saw Widow Brown look at me.
You would thought by her smiling expression
From gossiping traits she was free.
Do you know of a verse in the bible?
If not words of somebody wise
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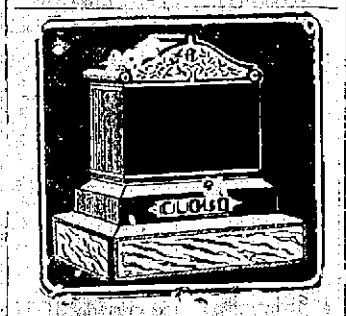

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POLISH WOMEN WANT TO FIGHT

Vilna—The Polish women of Vilna have taken up cudgels against the League of Nations. They should-ered arms last summer and fought the Soviet soldiers in defense of the city and they assert they will fight again if the League should attempt to send an international army to police the disputed territory in event of a plebiscite.

Vilna, at present, is occupied by General Lucien Zeligowski, and some 20,000 Polish soldiers, while representatives of Poland and Lithuania, with the League of Nations as mediator, have been conferring with the view to determine the fate of the Vilna district, which is called Central Lithuania by General Zeligowski and his adherents.

The League's Military Commission of Control, which since last fall has been endeavoring to settle the controversy between Poland and Lithuania, until recently made its headquarters in Vilna. The Control Commission has never been popular in Vilna. By a recent decision which denied women the right of franchise, should a plebiscite be held, the Commission came in a greater disfavor than ever, especially among the women.

The Commission members contend that the birth records of Central Lithuania are so incomplete that the voting of women would only complicate matters.

It was in consequence of this decision, and to manifest their disapproval, that a crowd of women attacked the Commission's chairman, Colonel Chardigny, and spattered his French uniform with eggs, some of which were not exactly fresh. A few days after this incident, the Commission removed its headquarters from Vilna to Kovno, which is the seat of government of the republic of Lithuania.

Eight of the women were arrested by the local police authorities, but no date has been set for the trial.

A petition signed by thousands of Vilna women has been sent to the League of Nations asking for the removal of Colonel Chardigny as head of the Military Commission of Control.

The Lithuanians contend for the Vilna district on the ground that Vilna was the capital of the ancient state of Lithuania. They claim it also under terms of a treaty of peace with the Soviets signed in Moscow last summer.

The Vilna Poles contend that the majority of the population of the Vilna district is Polish, and that as less than three per cent of the population of about 1,000,000 are Lithuanians, the state of Lithuania has no just claim to the land under a spate.

Vilna's streets are daily filled with Zeligowski soldiers, all of whom wear the Polish uniform. Many of the officers have adopted the Zeligowski Central Lithuania insignia, which is worn on the collar together with the Polish white eagle. The Polish colors are to be seen everywhere in the business section of Vilna on holidays, and in most of the stores and restaurants there are pictures of Joseph Pilsudski, Poland's chief of state.

PEPPERRELL COVE

Pepperrell Cove, May 17—The shooting the 133 anniversary of the adoption of the Federal Constitution by the state of N. H. as the date for the first session of the Legislature of N. H. in this city, reminds us of the struggle the people of N. H. had to adopt that constitution by only 11 majority out of 103 delegates. The convention first met at Exeter, debated the question of the constitution ten days, adjourned 4 months to Concord and in a short session of 3 days adopted the constitution June 21, 1788, and it's was the 9th state. In the Union which accepted the constitution and thus the number was completed to put in motion the political machinery that made it a nation and N. H. has well been called the mother of the nation.

The news of the event was every where received with utmost joy by the people. Festivals were held in United towns and cities and with a prophetic foresight of the blessings that were to follow. The whole nation was crowned with the spirit of gladness and hope. Carriers at once took the news to New York to John Marshall who was waiting eagerly to hear it.

Lest we forget let us say: Without Gen. John Sullivan's storm the constitution would not have been adopted at that time. The whole country is much indebted to Gen. Sullivan in the hour of peril to whom character and service should be remembered with respect and honor. Strange as it is one of John Langdon, whose history is part of the history of the state and nation for a generation. Born at Sagamore Creek in 1710, was a sailor until the Revolutionary War. Sullivan born the same year died 1795. Langdon died 1819. Both received the degree of L. L. D. from Dartmouth. Langdon served with Sullivan in Rhode Island. Sullivan was master of St John's Lodge of this city and the grand master of the State Grand Lodge of N. H.

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For Kittery and Kittery Point, 6:15 a. m. and every half hour until 10:45 p. m. Sunday first trip 7:45 a. m.

For York Village, York Harbor and York Beach, via Rosemary, 6:45 a. m. and every two hours until 4:45 p. m. Sunday first trip 8:45 a. m.

YORK BEACH

For York Village, Eliot, Dover, South Berwick and Portsmouth, via Rosemary, 7:30, 8:30 a. m. then every two hours until 6:30 p. m. Sunday first trip 1:30 p. m.

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For York Village, York Harbor and York Beach, 6:05 a. m. and every two hours until 4:05 p. m. Sunday first trip 9:05 a. m.

For South Berwick 6:40 a. m. and every two hours until 10:40 p. m. Sunday first trip 8:40 a. m.

After 5:30 p. m. only cars only as far as Butler St. in Kittery, and trip runs only as far as Pave quarters.

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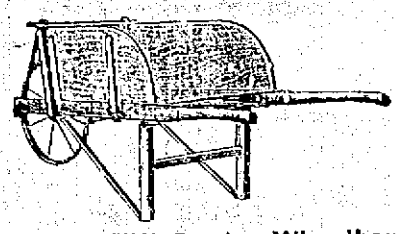

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STOP BONUS PAYMENT TO YARD WORKMEN

Wage Increase Given in Lieu of Bonus Is Also Withdrawn at Charlestown.

(By Associated Press)

Boston, May 17.—Discontinuance after June 30 of a bonus of $240 a year paid to civilian employees was announced in orders received at the navy yard here today. A wage increase of 72c a day given to the higher paid employees in lieu of the bonus also will be withdrawn.

POLICE PICK UP TWO KITTERY BOYS AT NEWBURYPORT

Two Kittery boys are locked up in Newburyport, and held for Deputy Sheriff Boardman of Kittery, who went there this afternoon for them, with warrants issued by the Kittery court.

The boys are charged with the larceny of bicycles, or specifically with the stealing of a Hudson bicycle belonging to Lloyd Haley of North Kittery. The two bicycles were taken or were missing Sunday night, when the boys disappeared.

They were traced to Newburyport, where the police there soon had them in custody, and the deputy sheriff was notified to come and get them.

It is expected that the boys will come back without making the Kittery officer any trouble in the way of extradition, and in such case will appear in the Kittery court shortly.

CAPTAIN ADAMS IN CONCORD

Captain L. S. Adams, industrial manager of the Navy Yard, attended a hearing before the Public Service Commission in Concord at 10:15 this morning. He made a request that certain navy yard trains be changed in view of a change in the working hours of the yard.

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ANNIVERSARY EVENT.

The Christ Church parish reunion and reception to the rector, Rev. Charles LeV. Brine and wife, at Christ Church parish house this evening will be a very pleasant affair. An orchestra will furnish music and the occasion fitting for the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of Father Brine as priest of that parish.

NOTICE

An adjourned annual parish meeting of the Universalist Society will be held in the church this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

FOUND $1000 SEWED UP IN HIS CLOTHING

Aged Man Believed to Have More Hidden Wealth But It Can't Be Found.

One thousand dollars in United States money was found sewed up in the clothing of John Khury, the Egyptian, who died in this city last week, at the age of 101 years.

For some time past it was noticed at his lodging house on State street that the aged man would not part with the suit of clothes he wore daily, but no one gave any thought that he carried his bank account with him. Following his death the clothes were just about to be destroyed when a maid in the house decided to search the same, and found the money in the front part of the trousers. It is believed that the had more hidden wealth, but so far nothing more has been found.

The deceased is said to have been a physician in good standing in his native land. His eccentric figure was familiar to the residents of this city, and regardless of his age and the weather, he could be seen most every day in the business district up to a short time before his death.

AT CITY HALL

The committee on City Lands and Buildings are to commence work on the changes at the Soldiers Memorial building this week.

Captain L. S. Adams of the navy yard conferred with the Mayor last evening regarding change of hours at the navy yard. The Mayor could not attend the hearing at Concord today owing to many local engagements.

The Mayor has appointed A. L. Watkins, a World War Veteran, as Collector of the Dog Tax under the law. Mr. Watkins will take the oath and proceed to carry out the duties of his office.

The Mayor with Supt. of Schools W. H. Slayton, Chairman of the Committee on City Lands and Buildings, N. H. Beane and Supt. of Public Works D. R. Smith looked over the Farragut school grounds at 9 o'clock this morning. The new extension will be prepared at once. The grounds are no where near adequate.

CHRIST CHURCH TONIGHT

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The Susan Green Missionary Society will hold its regular meeting in the vestry of the Court Street Christian church on Thursday afternoon at four o'clock. Supper will be served at six o'clock to members and their families. In the evening a program will be presented. The missionary society is to send a box of towels this week to Franklinton College, and the members are to bring them at this gathering.

If your machine needs the attention of a doctor, call the Hislop Garage Co., Tel. 3 or 117.

TO MEET IN THIS CITY ON JUNE 23

New Hampshire Legislature Asso. Plan for Reunion.

A committee from the New Hampshire legislature, who visited this city on Monday, met at the Chamber of Commerce, and arranged for the reunion of that body in this city on June 23, and completed the list of officers and formation of the Legislative Association. On that date a session will be held from 10 a. m. to noon, followed by a banquet. In the afternoon the association will visit historic points and the Navy Yard, as guests of the Chamber of Commerce and Metal Trades Council.

Seven of the committee of ten to form the organization were here on Monday. Senators Benjamin Orr of Concord, Senator C. H. Beane of Franklin, Senator Thomas A. Conway of Manchester, Senator O. L. Frisbee of Portsmouth, Representatives John W. Leavitt of Portsmouth, and Harry M. Meader of Rochester.

COMRADES ATTENTION

The regular meeting of Winfield Scott Schley Camp, No. 4, U. S. W. V. will be held Tuesday evening, May 17. All comrades are requested to attend as matters pertaining to Memorial day are to be taken up. Come and meet our Dept. Commander. He is to make his official visit.

By order
EUGENE PICHE, Commander
HARRY W. FOSTER, Adjt.
h 21 m16

AMUSING YARNS ABOUT NAVY YARD

Some of the most nonsensical yarns about this one and that one representing this man and that man in running the navy yard are in circulation from the "old Ring Master." It will soon be learned that the officers and men under them are running the navy yard. It will be the purpose of those striving for the best interests of the yard to produce more work.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The marriage engagement of Edward A. Bragdon of York Village and Miss Marion Twombley of Biddeford is announced and will take place the latter part of May. Miss Twombley is a graduate of Biddeford high school, class of 1915 and a registered nurse.

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GRAND JURY CENSURS LAWRENCE POLICE DEPT.

Have Failed to Supervise the Liquor Traffic, Gambling and Lottery Being Carried on in That City

(By Associated Press)

Newburyport, Mass., May 16—Belief that the police department of the city of Lawrence, have failed to properly supervise an extensive liquor traffic of that city, was expressed by Essex county grand jury here today. In a statement issued that said that gaming and lottery on a large scale was carried on in that city and that the police department has done nothing to check it. In regards to the liquor traffic the statement of the grand jury says: "In the opinion of the grand jury investigating the situation, liquor is freely and extensively sold in many of the former bar-rooms now run as near-beer saloons."

The statement went on to say that the jurors had been hampered in the investigation by the deliberate falsification on the part of the witnesses, against whom the grand jury would take proper action. Some prominent business and professional men who were before the jury disclaim any knowledge of the liquor traffic although it must be apparent to all. The grand jury is to continue the investigation.

$2,000,000 DEDICATED TO DOING GOOD

(By Associated Press)

Cincinnati, May 16—The $2,000,000 estate left by Mrs. Eleanor C. H. Alms, widow of Frederick Alms, one of the founders of the Alms & Doepke Company Department store, this city, is to go into a trust for the benefit of educational charity, art, musical and recreational institutions in this city, by the terms of her will filed today. The will carries out the wish expressed shortly before her death last week, that her fortune should be dedicated to the doing of good for all Cincinnati.

The institutions specifically mentioned are the Cincinnati College of Music, the Cincinnati Art Museum, the University of Cincinnati and the City Park Department.

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS GOVERNMENT

Important Tax Decision Holds That Value Increase is Taxable

Washington, May 16—The government won today in the supreme court its contention that increased value of any capital asset must be considered in a corporation's profits when taxes are computed.

The decision was given in the appeal of Lafferle Iron Works from a ruling of the treasury that ore land purchased for $190,000 in 1901 must be returned in the 1917 report at $10,000,000 and a profits tax paid on the difference. The opinion today sustained this ruling.

"The meaning of the act as to invested capital is clear," the court said. "It was to cover actual cost of property disregarding everything that does not change the form of the investment."

Hundreds of millions of dollars in excess profits taxes were involved in the case which was characterized by a high government official as "the most important legal suit affecting federal finances to arise in several decades." The court was unanimous in its decision except that Justice McReynolds concurred only in the result. Associate Justice Pitney read the opinion.

Practically every American corporation of any size was interested vitally in the case, counsel for the iron company said, when asking the court to expedite hearings in the case. Lumber companies, steel foundries and individuals joined with the iron company in the effort to show that the natural enhancement in value of the company's holdings could not be considered profits.

MORE PEOPLE ARE KILLED IN IRELAND

Dublin, Ireland, May 16—Attacks on the police and military occurred in several places last night and today. A constable and an assistant were killed last night while leaving church and the body of an unknown man was found with five bullet wounds in his head. A bomb was thrown at a police lorry in a crowded street today and four civilians were injured in the shooting which followed.

SOLDIERS LEAD CHEERS FOR KING

London.—The temper of the people toward the Communists who are permitted to preach their doctrines here unhindered, was shown by an incident in Trafalgar Square the other day.

After the strains of the "Red Flag" had been started at a Communists' meeting, a former officer, wounded so badly he could scarcely stand, stood up in front of the crowd numbering several thousand, and called for cheers for the King.

The response to his appeal was ear-splitting. This so enraged one of the women members of the Communist crowd that she rushed upon the officer and buffed him roundly. Thereupon he called for three cheers for the Queen, the Prince of Wales and finally for law and order.

This broke up the meeting.

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William D. Patterson of Wiscasset, Me., has a bookcase the doors of which are made from glass taken from the cabin skylight of the yacht Atlantis, formerly owned by William Waldorf Astor.

HEED PROTEST OF NEGROES AND BAR FILM

Boston, May 16—The municipal license board of which Mayor Peters is a member, today revoked the Shubert Theatre license for an indefinite period. This action was taken after the censor committee had held a private view of a motion picture film which was to have been opened this evening. It was in response to the protest made by the negro people of this city, who objected to the picture as depicting scenes in the reconstruction period which would lead to disorder now. The picture was shown here some years ago and is being revived.

PROHIBITION ACT UPHELD

Washington, May 16—The requirement that the prohibition amendment be ratified within seven years by three fourths of the states does not invalidate the entire measure, the supreme court ruled today.

The decision was given in the appeal of J. J. Dillon of San Francisco from decisions in lower courts refusing his petition for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that the limitation made the amendment invalid.

Dillon was arrested while transporting a case of wine to the home of its owner. His counsel asserted that section 1 of the amendment, originally proposed by Senator Harding placed a limitation on the action of the state legislatures and was therefore unconstitutional.

"We find that proposal and ratification of an amendment are treated as succeeding acts in a common endeavor," the opinion said, "and there is a fair implication that they should be fairly contemporaneous."

In the course of the decision the court ruled that the prohibition amendment went into effect Jan. 16, 1920. Dillon's alleged offence was on Jan. 17, 1920.

TO TELEPHONE ACROSS THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

London.—Signor Marconi, inventor of wireless, pins his faith to trans-Atlantic telephonic communication by wireless instead of by cable, despite the recent successful experiments in America connecting Cuba with the mainland in a telephone circuit extending 5,000 miles.

"I still think," he said, "that the only satisfactory method of telephoning across the Atlantic is by wireless. At present we can only do a short distance by cable telephone—from London to Paris is as far as we can do now. In attempts to communicate with Spain we have failed. Up to 100 or 200 miles of cable it works. With 1,000 miles or more of cable it won't work.

"Wireless telephony, of course, has not yet been developed to the same extent as the wire telephone, but it is being rapidly improved. We have not done anything like 5,000 miles thus far. We have spoken successfully from London to Rome, and we have got words through to America, but not in a commercial or practical way. At present there are certain disturbances of the waves in space, the cause of which has not yet been discovered."

CENTENARY OF INDEPENDENCE FOR MEXICO

Mexico City.—Mexico will celebrate the centenary of its independence next September and elaborate plans are being made for the event. President Obregon has announced that a special invitation will be extended King Alfonso of Spain to be present and, although a general welcome will be extended the countries which have recognized Mexico will be accorded special honors.

HARDING TO MEET PRESIDENT OF MEXICO

Mexico City.—Presidents Obregon and Harding may meet next October at Dallas, Texas, where both have been invited to visit the Texas State Fair.

According to local newspapers President Obregon, who was cordially received last fall at Dallas, will repeat his visit this year and it is said here that President Harding has expressed a desire to be present at the same time.

SOLE SUPPORT OF FAMILY

Belfast.—Kitty McCarron, killed by masked men, who attached a card to her body inscribed "spies and informers beware, tried, convicted and executed by the Irish Republican army" was the sole support of her aged parents and a mentally defective brother. The police say they know of no reason for killing her.

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CITATION

State of New Hampshire-Rockingham,ss.
COURT O PROBATE

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Morrissey late of Portsmouth in said county, deceased, testate.

Whereas Michael E. Morrissey as he is executor of the will of said deceased has presented to said Court, his petition, the original of which is on file in said Court and may be examined by interested parties, praying that he may be licensed to sell at public auction or private sale certain real estate of said deceased, situate in said Portsmouth, particularly described in said petition for the reasons therein set forth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate, to be held at Derry, in said County of Rockingham, on the seventh day of June A. D. 1921 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Portsmouth Herald, a newspaper published in Portsmouth, in said county, the last publication to be one week at least before said Court.

Witness, Louis G. Hoyt, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of May A. D. 1921.

ROBERT SCOTT, Register.

h m10-17-24

CITATION

State of New Hampshire-Rockingham,ss
COURT OF PROBATE

To all persons interested in the estate of Arthur E. Richardson late of Portsmouth in said county, deceased, testate.

Whereas Edward H. Adams and Fred E. Peckham the executors of the will of said deceased have presented for allowance the final account of their administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate, to be held at Exeter, in said County of Rockingham, on the twenty-fourth day of May A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executors are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Portsmouth Herald a newspaper published in Portsmouth, in said County, the last publication to be one week at least before said Court.

Witness, Louis G. Hoyt, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of April A. D. 1921.

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The Persian Pilgrims in the Far West

California—what magic in the name! Picture a land of heart's desire—a land of perpetual sunshine and balmy days with the scent of orange blossoms intermingled with the cool and restful breezes from the blue Pacific. Picture a land of happiness where winter days are June days, and where ice and snow and climatic discomforts are unknown—that is California. To describe California is impossible. Famous descriptive writers have attempted it and failed, nor is it possible to depict the beauties of California in picture. That has also been attempted, but famed artists have failed to catch the charm and atmosphere. To know California it is necessary to see it, and to feel its warmth and participate in its joys and pleasures. A famed European artist once said that he has selected the subject for his masterpiece, and that it would be a picture of Southern California. He said: "For my central motive I shall paint a broad, beautiful valley of gardens, rich in the verdant greens of orange grove and tropical fruits. And through the greens will be splashed the vivid colors of riotously blooming flowers—deep magentas and poppy yellows. Here and there I will subdue my colors with white and creams of romantic old missions, and picturesque little cities. In the foreground will be the placid blue Pacific, and the background will be the purple and amber of the majestic Sierra Madres. Over the whole I shall canopy a glorious sky of turquoise blue blended with a golden sheen of ever constant sunshine. Thus sir I will go and produce my masterpiece, but no artist will ever live who will be able to transfer to canvas that mysterious, but glorious lure which mantles this wondrous land and enchants alike the resident and casual visitor."

The City of Los Angeles

Wonderful indeed is the story of the growth of this city during the past quarter of a century, making Los Angeles the chief city of Southern California, and the commercial metropolis of the southwestern section of the United States. The population of Los Angeles is cosmopolitan. During the past twenty-five years it has received accessions from every state in the Union, and this is clearly shown by the numerous societies and clubs, the members of which are the sons of different states. From a city of eleven thousand in 1880, Los Angeles grew to 102,479 at the end of 1900, and today it has a population of 611,635. There are three leading features that have contributed to its growth; these are climate, soil and location. The original name of the Pueblo or town of Los Angeles was "Nuestra Senora la Reina de Los Angeles" This has been shortened by the practical moderns to Los Angeles. The city was founded September 4, 1781 by a small band of pobladores or colonists who had been recruited in the Mexican states of Sinaloa and Sonora and brought here under command of a Government officer, who found an agricultural colony for the purpose of raising produce for the soldiers at the Presidios. As recently as 1831, the population was 770. Business was dull and there was no sign that the city was on the eve of a marvelous growth. Dana in his "Two Years Before the Mast" says that Southern California was an ungodly place, and he nicknamed it as the "cow country," a miserable hole of San Pedro. Considering that 25 years ago it had scarcely a single paved street, Los Angeles has made remarkable progress in street improvements. There are now over 1,235 miles of grades and gravelled streets, including 611 miles of paved street and a complete sewer system 350 miles in length.

Los Angeles possesses today the advantages of six transcontinental lines. Altogether there are nearly a dozen lines of railway centering in Los Angeles, half a dozen steamship lines, now running large and commodious steamers between this harbor and San Francisco and Puget Sound points. Now that the Panama canal is open, the coast of Los Angeles County is on the direct course of steamships sailing from the Atlantic coast and from European to Asiatic ports. The street railway system of Los Angeles is very complete. There is probably no city of the size that has such a modern and well equipped system, the total of single track being about 400 miles, all electric. There are 25 public parks within the city limits covering over 4,100 acres of which six are of considerable size. Many of them have lakes with boats, fine drives, menagerie of animals, all breathing places for the children of the city.

There are also eleven public playgrounds and 45 vacation or summer centers. After all is said, the chief attraction of Los Angeles to new arrivals lies in its beautiful homes. The rare beauty of the grounds surrounding the attractive homes in the city, Pasadena, Long Beach and other suburban cities, is a constant theme of admiration on the part of visitors. The mildness of the climate permits the most delicate plants and trees to flourish in the open air all through the winter. At Christmas may be seen hedges of calla lilies, geranium bushes ten feet or more in height and heliotrops covering the sides of the houses, while the jasemine, tube-rose and orange blossoms make the air heavy with their delicious perfume. Giant bananas wave their gracefull leaves in the gentle breeze and often ripen their fruit. The fan and date palm grow to mammoth proportions, and roses of a thousand varieties run riot. Some have from one to five acres of ground all in the highest state of cultivation with well kept verdant lawns upon which the fig, orange and palm cast a grateful shade. Along the sides of the streets shade trees are also the rule, the favorite varieties being the graceful pepper, which grows to great size, the eucalyptus, grevillea and acacia.

In Southern California there are two seasons, the wet and the dry. The former is far from a steady down-pour. Immediately following the rainy season is the pleasantest time of the year. The bare brown hills are transformed by a mantle of vivid green, and then comes a variegated carpet of wild flowers. There is an all the year round climate, pleasing in summer as well as in winter. It is a climate that makes the sick well, and the strong more vigorous. Thunder storms are occasionally seen in the mountains at a distance of from fifteen to fifty miles but rarely visit the plains.

The most notable thing that has ever happened in the city of Los Angeles is the building of a great aqueduct, bringing the water of the Owens river across the Mojave desert, under the coast range of mountains and into the city for domestic consumption. From the inlet of the aqueduct to the point where the water enters the city's distribution system, the total distance is 233 miles. It was inaugurated in 1904 and opened for operation in 1913. The total cost of this giant water course was $24,500,000. It supplies more than one million people with water, and 135,000 acres of land are irrigated. It also generates hydro-electric energy at 120,000 horse power. It is the longest aqueduct in the world. It delivers the minimum of 272 million gallons of water per day into the San Fernando reservoir. The great water course is constructed entirely of steel and concrete about 125,000 barrels of cement were required for lining the aqueduct and an army of nearly 4000 men employed. The work carried on simultaneously at thirty-four different points.

Los Angeles harbor was discovered in 1542, but it was more than 300 years later, before any development was begun on it, and it did not enter its present phase of improvement until 1909 when the harbor towns of San Pedro and Wilmington consolidated with Los Angeles, thereby allowing the latter city to use its resources for harbor improvement. The Federal Government expended nearly six million dollars, the City of Los Angeles $5,500,000 and is pledged to expend a total of ten million dollars before the end of 1921. The aggregate tonnage of the port is increasing rapidly year by year and Los Angeles is not only destined to become the greatest city in population, but she will become also the most important marine city on the Pacific coast.

Some people in the East probably think that Southern California is a sort of "jumping off place" partaking of a "wild and woolly character." Nothing is further from actual facts. Socially, Southern California communities compare most favorably with those of similar population of the East. This is easy to understand when one considers that this section has been chiefly settled by cultured people from the country east of the mountains. The educational facilities are especially good. Besides a complete system of public schools, private schools and colleges abound in Los Angeles and other towns. The work of the schools is further supplemented by an army of specialists in music, painting and every department of art. Chautauqua meetings are held annually in many of the surrounding towns. Lectures and other entertainments by home and foreign talents are of almost daily occurrence.

In proportion to population, Los Angeles public library ranks in the forefront of the libraries of the United States in number of volumes, circulation and other standards. Its patronage for reading, studying and research is widely popular. There are about 400,000 volumes in the library. There are twelve branches and twenty-two sub branches and 133 deposit stations in the city.

Los Angeles is also noted as a great musical center. The people hope and expect that the Chicago Grand Opera will be here in the first week of April, thus giving them a taste of the noblest art interpreted by the golden song stresses of the world. There are a number of symphony and other organizations. Southern California may be regarded as an artist's paradise. The great variety of scenery to be found here, from the wind-swept sand dunes of the ocean to the Pine Clad summits of the mountains, renders it a most inviting field for the painter. In winter and early spring, may be seen the striking combination of green city surmounted by snowy peaks. It is always a pleasure to walk on Broadway, avenue and watch the windows of the department stores most artistically decorated with object of Arts, foreign and home made, the throngs of people going and coming.

Los Angeles County is preeminently a land of schools. The value of school property is $18,514,938.00. The combined salaries of her 3141 teachers reached a total of nearly seven million dollars in 1919. The number of pupils enrolled is about 165,000. There are now 1,167 school buildings and new ones are continually being built to accommodate the ever-increasing throng of children. No state provides more liberally and more completely for their training and education. As evidence of this, California schools are famous throughout the country for their high standard. The University of Southern California is a fine institution, liberally endowed and splendidly equipped, occupying a handsome group of buildings on Westlaky Avenue in the south of the city. Los Angeles leads the cities of the coast in educational facilities. Owing to the mildness of the climate, open air schools which are only possible in the east during a part of the year, may be carried on here all the year round.

Switzerland has often been called the "playground of Europe." Southern California, and particularly Los Angeles county may well be termed "The playground of the United States." The pleasure seeker finds an "embarrassment of riches" in Southern California, as there are so many attractive points to visit between the sea coast and the mountain summits. The lover of nature, the mountain climber, the hunter, the naturalist, the botanist, the geologist, and the antiquarian, as well as those who come here for rest and recreation, find Los Angeles County lavish with its limitless attractions. The leading series of seaside resorts are Santa Monica, Ocean Park, Venice, Manhattan, Long Beach and Catalina Island. This last is a mountainous island 25 miles beyond the shore. One of the most remarkable attractions of this island is its marine gardens, which may be viewed through glass bottom boats. Here the bottom of the sea may be observed through 80 feet of water, and an interesting panorama of interesting aquatic life is presented.

Mt. Lowe is reached by cable and electric cars, the whole forming an ingenious system of mountain railroading, which extends to Alpine Tavern at a height of about 5,000 feet. Half way up is Echo, where there is an observatory.

Shipbuilding is one of the principal industries at Long Beach. Shipments to the United States are made here in addition to steel and wooden emergency vessels.

Few cities in America exceed the industrial development of Los Angeles. It has the manufacturing establishments of all kinds over 3,200. Workmen employed in these industries are over 110,000. In 1919 there was invested approximately $400,000,000 in manufacturing firms, while the product of the factories in the same year were $817,000,000.

Los Angeles has all the five requisites necessary to successful manufacturing. First, raw materials, second, cheapest fuel and power; third, efficient labor; fourth, transportation, and fifth, great markets.

Southern California has approximately 230,000 acres set to cotton, two years ago offering a splendid field to textile manufacturers.

California is one of the great petroleum producing districts of the world. The total yield during 1919 was more than 100,000,000 barrels. There are seven oil-producing counties in the state—Fresno and Santa Clara in the northern district; Los Angeles, Kern, Orange, Santa Barbara and Ventura in the southern district. In the last ten years the industry has grown to great importance, and California's unsurpassed highways are attribute to its value. The Standard Oil Company operates a large refinery at El Segunda, with a daily capacity of 30,000 barrels.

Los Angeles has some of the best hotels in the country, and can take care of over 150,000 guests. This city is rapidly assuming high rank as a world trade center. It is strategically located for the great market of the Orient, Australia and South America. Its commanding future is assured, and its prominence secured.

Several years ago, when the writer was living in Palestine, serving Abdul Baha in his humble capacity, one day he talked to him about the wonders of the western states, and the waterfalls and mountains of Yosemite Valley, the bursting springs and shimmering lakes, granite rocks and giant trees. After listening to his description, he said:

"All these majestic scenes of nature in reality prove the greatness of the Creator and the antiquity of the world. The globe is indeed millions of years old, but its Creator has had no beginning, and will have no ending. He has been, is and will be the Alpha and Omega. Now just as these wonderful scenes of the world of nature are witnessed in all the western states, I hope that rare gems and traces of the kingdom of Abha may also become incarnated and personified; such souls may appear from these states who will become considered the wonders of the age and the gem of the time. From their services infinite results will become manifest in the world of existence, their words be penetrative, the trees of their lives fruitful; each one of them a flag of the victory of the cause of God, and a column of light to guide the wanderers to the religion of God. Then the nether world will attract, and in turn reflect the virtues of the world of the kingdom. Within the short space of our lives, or the lives of generations, very little change will come over these natural scenes, and no practical results witnessed from their mineral lives. But the life and teaching of a single human wonder transforms the whole world. Columbus was a genius in his time. Consider what world-encircling results appeared from his voyage of discovery. Copernicus, Kepler, Laplace and Newton were all geniuses, and their contributions to the sciences have made them the benefactors of humanity. The inventors and discoverers of telegraphy, telephony, electricity, wireless, etc., have all through their distinguished labors and discoveries made man a monarch over the laws of nature, broadened his vision and freed him from the lower miserable life of the savage, ever fighting with the beasts of the jungle in order to satisfy his bare wants. This is, of course, in the material world, but if we concentrate our attention on the spiritual world, and the results issuing therefrom, we observe that through the teachings of Christ, and the self-sacrifice of His disciples, Europe and America were adorned with bright jewels of Divine civilization; ferocious characters were refined, and the love of humanity spread. In a similar manner, in the Bahai Cause, there must appear extraordinary spiritual souls, wonders of the kingdom of God, souls who in knowledge, sciences, sociability, tenderness, loving kindness, universality, joyfulness may be considered unique, and peerless. Should such heavenly beings appear in the western states, the power and the creative energy of the Kingdom of Abha will become manifest and apparent—souls who have discovered help was in the mines of the kingdom; souls who are the builders of the grounds of the hearts of humanity; souls who are the wonder of the realm of Truth. Then and not till then will the spiritual creation of the Almighty become perfected in those states; the miracles of the transforming power of the spirit embodied, the mysteries of the Holy books revealed, and the golden age of peace and brotherhood established."

Jenabe Fazel in Manual Arts High School.

Through the invitation of Mrs. Rosa Winterburn, one of the teachers in the High School, Jenabe Fazel was invited to give two talks before two of the large classes of advanced history. The Persian scholar was welcomed by the principal and others of the teaching staff, and conducted to the platform. The lectures were highly interesting to the students. The Manual Arts Weekly, March 2, contained a long account of the talks, with a photograph of the Persian speaker. Sitting calmly, enunciating in soft rounded syllables of Persian language, he gave utterances to such ideals which were easily comprehended by an audience of students as they are by the wisest men of the world. He said that Baha'o'llah realized that the fundamental Truth consists in the removal of racial, religious and national prejudices. Only in this way peace and happiness could be achieved. This is accomplished through the untiring and far-sighted efforts of the teachers of small children. In accordance with the principle of Baha'o'llah, education is compulsory. Each person, whether married or unmarried, must pay an educational tax for the support of the school. Literary and industrial education must be combined, and moral education, consisting of the ethical principles of all the past religions be inculcated. In this manner, cooperation will be established among the children of men, wrong righted, and nations forever friendly.

Lecture in Symphony Hall

Under the auspices of the Bahai Assemblies of Los Angeles and Glendale, a beautiful meeting was arranged in the Symphony Hall, 232 S. Hill st., at 8:00 p. m. The subject of the talk given by Jenabe Fazel was the Bahai Movement and its Universal Principle. Mr. Decker introduced the speaker of the evening; Mrs. Nettie Lewis sang beautiful solos, and Mr. Rodtyer the pianist delighted the audience with his soulful compositions. The Oneness of the World of Humanity shines in the Bahai teachings, for once we have that, all the other teachings will come in. We must get the kernel instead of the shell, the meat instead of the husk. Impartially and without any prejudice, we must investigate Reality, and Reality teaches us that the foundation of all the religions is one and indivisible. When we gain the vision of Truth, we will realize that our religion must be conducive to Unity and Concord among men, and whatever religious convictions we have must accord with the true statements of reason and the dictates of science. Once we have reached to this estate, we must accord to women the same right that we desire for men. This will lead us to the abolition of all prejudices, and the assertion that all men must receive enough of the social income to give them comfort and happiness, according to the standard of life in which they are brought up. Once this is done, we will not withhold education from any community, but try to universalize it and have an international standard of education with a universal language, a Court of International Justice. With these ideals, the world will gain composure and tranquillity.

It is in loving, not in being loved
The heart is blessed.
It is in giving, not in seeking gifts
We find our quest.
If thou art hungry, lacking heavenly bread,
Give hope and cheer.
If thou art sad, and wouldst be comforted,
Stay sorrow's dear.
Whatever be thy longing and thy need,
That do thou give.
So shall thy soul be fed, and thou indeed shalt truly live.

Persian Scholar in Pasadena

Mr. and Mrs. Collins and Mr. and Mrs. French were the two sincere Bahai souls who have arranged a series of meetings in Pasadena. "The Crown City." In the afternoon of February 26, Jenabe Fazel spoke to a select group of inquirers in the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Collins. He was their guest for dinner, after which he spoke on the subject of the Parliament of Men and the High Court of International Justice before a large audience in the auditorium of the High School.

Pasadena has long been a favorite city for tourists, and winter residence in California. Forty years ago it was hardly on the map, but today, it has a population of about 50,000 people, and one of the most fashionable places in this part of the world. Being located at the foot of the mountains, it escapes the fogs and is warm and balmy during the entire winter. Pasadena is a city of fine homes—many of them magnificent show places of multi-millionaires, surrounded with vast semi-tropical gardens. Orange Grove Avenue is one of the most beautiful streets in America. Pasadena has many beautiful parks within its bounds. On New Year's Day each year, Pasadena stages the Tournament of Roses, a flower festival of such magnitude that it has become a nationally known event. Miles of beautiful floats and equipages decorated entirely in living blossoms and driven by the most beautiful girls clad in summer dresses, present a sight never to be forgotten.

The Pasadena Star News of February 21, 23, 25, 26 and 28 contained fine articles about the Bahai Cause. In one of them we find the following interesting statement:

"Like a Phoenix rising from its ashes, Persia is again stepping into the world stage and claiming the attention of the thinking public by the wonderful changes which are taking place within her far away borders. That the West has great things to offer and many reforms to suggest to her Oriental fellow-beings, is an acknowledged fact, but it has slipped the minds of many of us that there may also be something good for us, which always has had and always will have its origin in the Orient. We westerners have become so involved in the complex questions of our daily life and our seeking after the almighty dollar, that we have become blind to many of the spiritual truths which the Oriental has kept alive through prayer and meditation. To be sure, the Orientals are not more expert in living the life, perhaps not so much so as we are, but the great spiritual movements have always come from the Orient, and the laws were promulgated from that sacred spot. Now if the people of the world could only arrive at the fundamental Truth underlying all religious teachings, and accept the good in each, discarding the chaff which has crept in through spurious traditions, would we not then arrive at a sound foundation upon which we might hope to reach a solution of the problems which are confronting the world today? This is the keynote to the attitude of the Persian philosopher, and surely there is great food for thought in it."

Jenabe Fazel, in his talk in the Pasadena High School auditorium, stated that when the world had learned to forget racial, religious and national prejudices, then there will be a genuine peace on the globe. The speaker urged that the next generation be taught in the schools and by parents the spirit of Universal Brotherhood. "I hope," he said, "the children of the next generation may live on the globe as one happy family; that if one asks 'What is your country?' the answer may be, 'The globe.' 'What is your nationality?' the reply may be 'Humanity.' 'What is your religion?' the sincere answer may come back, 'The religion of God and Brotherly love.' It is only on the promise of Universal Brotherhood that real world peace may be obtained, said the Persian Philosopher. Upon such a premise must the League of Nations be founded, buttressed by unselfishness, because any league formed upon the principle of force or selfishness will bring only wars—recurrences of the struggles of the centuries." An audience of several hundred persons enjoyed the fine address. There was frequent applause. The man of peace spoke in the soft tones of the Persian, for he does not speak English, but his sentences, reports the Pasadena Star News of February 28, were admirably interpreted with beautiful English diction by Mirza Ahmad Sohrab, the sage's traveling companion. Thus the necessity for an interpreter did not rob the lecture of its charm and interest. The audience was attracted by the personality of Jenabe Fazel, and held by the clear interpretation of his companion. The speaker of the evening was introduced by Clayton R. Taylor, a member of the Board of Education, who said that "Truth is good wherever we find it, and many Truths have come from the Orient." This thought, remarked by Jenabe Fazel, is very true, because the East has been the birthplace of all the teachers of peace and founders of religion. Persia, he said, has given to the world many teachers of peace, who have sung the songs of peace and brotherly unity, laying the foundation for his talk on world peace and brotherhood—his subject was "The Parliament of Man the High Court of International Justice." The philosopher remarked that the discoveries of sciences have linked the hemispheres, annihilated distances, so that what one part of the world does, or what happens affects all the rest. Persia was a non-combatant in the recent world war, yet suffered much from death and privation. There is neither East nor West, because we know from astronomy, each section of the earth by rotation is in turn east and west. By the discoveries of science and quick transportation, the world has become "one neighborhood." In this situation we have hoped for permanent world peace and universal brotherhood. I am

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SCOUT CRUISER IS READY FOR LAUNCHING

Tacoma, Washington, May 15.—Awaiting the arrival of a favorable tide and the willful life men who will loosen the block holding her from the invitation of the waves, the trim hull of the scout cruiser U. S. S. Cincinnati is virtually ready for the launching scheduled to take place at the Tacoma yard of the Todd Shipbuilding Co., May 23.

The huge steel hull is still surrounded by much of the scaffolding used by the workmen in its construction, but this can be taken down in a day's notice and all remaining construction can be done after the launching.

The keel of the Cincinnati was laid May 15, 1920, at which time the keels of the Omaha and the Milwaukee, two sister ships to the Cincinnati were on the ways. The other ships were also launched within the year of their keel laying. The same record time would have been realized on the hull of the Cincinnati had it been possible for the sponsoring party and other interested persons in the east to be here at the time set for the baptism of the newest of Uncle Sam's fighting vessels. As now planned, the ship will have been on the ways just a week more than a year.

The purpose of the scout cruiser is precisely what the term signifies—scouting. She must have all the speed possible, yet be able to protect herself in a skirmish. She must be strong enough to stand more than the average shell intact, yet not burdened with armor to such an extent that she cannot run from a superior enemy.

The speed is guaranteed by the four sets of Westinghouse Parsons type turbines driving the four eleven foot three inch propellers, and by the designing which eliminates all possible friction or interference in the water. Total horsepower to be carried by the craft is estimated at 107,000, which is calculated to drive her at thirty-five knots, or slightly above forty statute miles an hour. Steam for the turbines will be provided by twelve Yarrow type boilers designed to deliver 225 pounds pressure to the square inch.

Twelve six inch guns will compose the principal armament of the craft. The guns are to be designed for long distance and rapid fire work. Smaller anti-aircraft guns will be installed aboardships. It is calculated that in the speedy encounters for which the Cincinnati is designed the smaller calibre guns will enable her to successfully engage much larger fighters.

Total length of the ship is 555 feet 6 inches, maximum beam 55 feet 4 inches 13 feet 4 inches, at which she will displace 7100 tons. The top of her highest mast will be slightly more than 200 feet above the water and will be surmounted by a crow's nest which can be reached by climbing through the inside of the steel mast itself. The boilers will use oil for fuel, and a storage capacity of 350,000 gallons has been provided.

Fully manned the Cincinnati will carry a crew of 389 men and 35 officers. Altering the old time custom officers' quarters will be in the forward part of the ship, while the crew will be quartered aft. This arrangement brings the officers nearer their posts and duty particularly to the bridge.

AGAINST VISIT OF KING TO SO. AMERICA

Buenos Aires.—All Spanish goods will be boycotted by the working men allied with the Argentine Communistic Federation of Labor unless the Spanish government changes its attitude toward the laborers of Spain, according to a note handed to the Spanish Ambassador by the secretary of the Federation.

The Federation's action is a result of a world-wide movement initiated at the request of the Spanish syndicalists among all organizations affiliated with the Moscow Third Internationale.

In the note to the Spanish Ambassador the Federation announced also that, under the circumstances, it could not endorse the proposed visit of the King of Spain to South America, saying: "The Ambassador can easily understand that an organization of the proletariat that has class consciousness and a true knowledge of its historic mission can not receive, unless perhaps from motives of pure courtesy, a King who permits the persecution of those persons who in every country are an element of richness and prosperity."

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ASKS U. S. TO DEAL FAIRLY WITH TURKS

Constantinople.—A serious effort to impress on Americans the necessity of being fair and upright in their business dealings with the Turks is being made here by those Americans familiar with the Levant.

"It is a fact that people in the Levant have got to the point that they prefer to do business with any other nation than ours," says Lewis Heck, formerly United States Commission here.

"It is a condition that has grown out of our wartime business. We used to make buyers put up their money in a New York bank before goods were delivered, and then the goods sent were often not as specified. Also honest American firms have lost money, become suspicious, and blame the whole Levant for the dishonesty of a few of its crooks.

"One of the serious causes for dispute has been in connection with exchange. If the exchange wasn't right the American house often failed to ship the goods.

"There are just as many honest houses here as in New York. I know of several who have lost large sums in the exchange fluctuations in order to keep their word. This is true if you do not meet these houses halfway on the matter of honesty, as they know local conditions better, they will beat you."

The American Chamber of Commerce for the Levant has just taken up a matter affecting the standing of the American government itself. During the war the Sate Department authorized the American Ambassador to draw on its drafts used for the relief of French, British, Italian and other subjects, who couldn't obtain funds from home, as communications were cut off. These drafts were paid by local banks here, and elsewhere in Turkey.

But complaint is now made that only a part of them have been honored by the State Department, which now finds itself without funds for this purpose.

BUTTER AND SUGAR TAKE PRICE DROP

Again lower food prices prevail in the food market on many standard articles. Butter is among them, the price having dropped three or four cents a pound yesterday, making the best Vermont tub butter retail at 46 cents a pound, and affecting other grades and qualities in about the same ratio. Good Western butter is 42 cents a pound, while prints range from 47 to 55 cents and the unsalted prints are 65 cents a pound.

Sugar is lower. It is obtainable in bulk and package at 8 cents generally, and in chain stores at 7 cents a pound. New mild cheese is 5 cents a pound cheaper and sells at 25 cents. Eggs are at last week's prices, but the probabilities are that they will be cheaper.

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PERSIAN PILGRIM'S PEN PICTURES

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an optimist. I know that the dawn of an era of genuine brotherly love is at hand. I see hope in the world movement for an international court, but such an organization must not become a mere debating society for new national and racial ambitions. It must be founded not on force, but upon the free conscience of humanity. Until we can approach it with a universal conscience and international mind, it will not succeed. We must all be free from racial, religious and political prejudices inasmuch as we do not have in the world, these qualifications today, we must set in motion our religious, civic and educational machinery to produce these men and women who will truly represent the conscience and voice of humanity. The remedy for our prejudices is in the hand of the parents and the teachers, and nowhere else. The child is like a white page, and we must take care not to dye it with the indelible ink of our prejudices.

Persian Scholar at Krotona Institute

The Krotona Institute is the national headquarters of the Theosophical Society in the United States. It comprises 21 acres of land in the foothills of Hollywood, overlooking the city, the valley and the sea. It is built on the top of a hill, and is pleasantly situated for its purpose—study, contemplation and other intellectual pursuits. There is a free public lecture every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to which the public is always welcome. On this Sunday Jenabe Fazel was the speaker, taking for his subject, "The Seven Valleys," the journey of the soul. The lecture hall was crowded to the door, many people standing up, and a large number not finding even access inside. The secretary told me that for many months they had not such an overflow meeting. The talk of the Persian lecturer was illuminating, portraying the journey of the spirit along the seven planes of life, that is physical, psychical, astral, etheric, spiritual, celestial and empyrean. He stated that a soul may journey through these various planes, while living in this world, and attain to the highest goal of perfection.

The Krotona library contains several thousand volumes on philosophy, religions, metaphysics, occult sciences, etc., which is open to the public daily. During the summers, there are always classes for students who desire to make themselves familiar with theosophy and occult science.

This lecture was the culmination of the Persian Pilgrims numerous addresses before the various Theosophical societies throughout the United States and Canada. Here they personally thanked the authorities of this noble institution in behalf of the Bahai world for opening the doors of their lodges to them, and inviting them to speak from their platforms. It is certainly not by accident that the founders of the Theosophical Society, like the Bahai Movement made the great principle of Universal Brotherhood paramount, placing it at the head of the declaration of the principles. In this one primary declaration the Theosophists and Bahais make an irresistible appeal to every thoughtful person. They sound the note for which the world is listening. The more we have these insistent calls, the nearer we are to the Kingdom of God. We must hold aloft the torch for want of which humanity is groping in the night of half civilized cruelty. Above the conflict of selfish interests, with every man's hand against his brother, with might mistaken for right, with the strong crushing the helpless, with nations hurling at each other armed forces, that drench the earth with blood, and multiply the stain until the civilized world stands aghast at the useless slaughter, the lovers of humanity serenely are holding with loving hands, the guiding light of brotherhood. There are many conceptions of brotherhood: some are based upon mutual interests, some upon race affinity, some upon class distinctions, some upon similarity of occupation. The Bahais sweep down all these barriers. They acknowledge no superficial distinction, they know neither condition, class, nation or race; they look beyond the visible. Their brotherhood is all-embracing from the lowest to the highest, from the gutters to the stars. Whether the public accepts or denies this basis of universal brotherhood, there can be no doubt about the general desire for that condition of human society which only genuine brotherhood can give. There is no field in which we can put forth effort that will give more abundant and immediate returns than this one of Universal Brotherhood; therefore, let us give to it our heartfelt exertion, arise to the height of its beauty, fulfill its conditions, gather its fruits, obtain its results, and bring about the vast amelioration of humanity which only a principle so all inclusive can bring. Blessed are those whose eyes are undimmed!

In the afternoon and evening the Persian Pilgrims were the guests in the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. French in Pasadena. They were invited for dinner, and had a very pleasant time with these loving friends. In the evening at 8.00 p. m. they spoke at the African Methodist church of Pasadena. The church was crowded with white and colored people who were attracted by the unusual occasion of listening to a lecture delivered by a man who had come from the same country from which the Magi were directed by the stars two thousand years ago, to find the heavenly child in the manger in Bethlehem. The minister of the church gave a welcoming introduction and introduced Jenabe Fazel with loving words and Christian brotherliness. The lecture was along the line of spiritual fraternity and the practicability of brotherhood in this age, because it is both possible and practical to regard all men as brothers. As a matter of course, some will be nearer than others, but there need be hatred for none. We should refuse absolutely to have a single enemy. If we strike every unfriendly thought of others dead at its very inception, we will discover that the earth is peopled with our friends, and that their regard for us is in exact proportion to our sincerity. He is rich who has the most friends. No material possessions, no position of power, no outward pomp and circumstance, can possibly give the personal satisfaction that arises from sound, sane, peaceful, human relationships.

The rich rewards of practical brotherhood await every human being who really desires them and seeks them. The heaven that has been the dream of centuries, a lofty condition of human happiness, is no more beyond the gates of death than it is here in the walks of daily life. No eternity must be awaited. We must open our arms to the breath of the holiest feeling. We must banish from the secret chambers of our minds all hateful thoughts.

On February 28th God gave to one of the Persian Pilgrims a little baby girl, an angel coming direct from the heaven of the Lord, and thus to him Los Angeles, the city of the Angels was invested with real and holy meaning. With this divine gift, the Pilgrims left for other fields of spiritual work.

Thou, City of Los Angeles, beautiful in situation, marvelous in richness, thou art a queen established upon the throne of progress, upon thy genial brow is the orange wreath of victory; thou art smiling upon a world who is enraptured with thy gracious charm; thou art destined to fill a great place in the history of mankind; thy sons and daughters equipped with the brightest ideals gained from thy institutions, will go forth into the world to teach and spread the lights of truth. The fragrance of thy green orchards and verdant groves, the songs of thy birds, the cool breeze wafting from thy mountains, the balmy air of thy blue Pacific, the fertility of thy soil, and the generous capacity of thy people will raise on these shores a mighty race, a new race, consecrated to the service of their country—the world, devoted to the principles of International Justice and brotherhood, passionately fond of their homes, and tenderly attached to their children—a mighty race indeed—pure white angels of the Kingdom of Righteousness. Knowledge will give thee wings wherewith thou mayest soar in the immensity of space; thou will shelter the homeless, thou will feed the hungry, thou will clothe the naked, educate the ignorant, nurse the sick, raise the fallen and shower thy blessings of happiness, prosperity and success upon the industrious and thrifty. Thou art the golden star in the bright heaven of California; thou will shine for ever and forever. Thy future is as bright as the sun. Thou art walking erect and strong in the King's highway, and thy destination is the diamond palace of the Universe.

All hail to thy men of vision! all joy to thy women of heart! all glory to thy daughters of love! The Bahai Movement will grow and advance in thy midst. Thou will be one of the first ones to practice its universal principles in thy government, religion and industry. Thou will set a shining example for the rest of mankind in civic and social democracy.

We will never forget thy sweet smelling groves and almond orchards. Thy orange groves always green, never without snowy blooms or golden fruit; thy gardens never without flowers, summer or winter; and thy almond and prune orchards in this early spring are they not flattering canopies of pink and white petals? Have we not watched them from the summit of the hills, and did they not seem to us as though the rosy sunrise clouds had fallen and became tangled in the tree-tops? In thy wide-spread lavish arms, nothing are seen but verdure, bloom and fruit. Thou art indeed the earthly paradise, the promised land of youth, love, joy, flowing with milk and honey! Thy early missionaries and Franciscan fathers; thy gallant Spanish seniors, thy soft speaking señoras and thy blushing señoritas; thy padras and thy gentle dream ways have been all practically swept away, but thou art still an emerald isle of love, a clear brook ripplling along in the sun, a city of the Angels, for thou must be indeed a bright heaven to be called the abode of the Higher Beings.

The Persian Pilgrims felt happy while they dwelt in thy beautiful valley. They associated with thy sons and daughters and found them kind, hospitable and open-hearted. The rays of the sun of idealism have illuminated their spirits. The doors of their homes are always open and the latch key is conspicuous by its absence. Thou hast dared much and won many victories in thy war against the difficulties of nature. The victories to be won now are in the realm of art, religion and commerce, science, industry and international relationship.

And now the Persian Pilgrims bid thee farewell. Oh thou beloved Queen City of the South, and as the fast train carries them toward the north, they turn their hearts full of golden memories of the pleasant days spent with loving friends and happy companions, and calmly reminiscent, they murmur the following verses:

The work of the day is over,
The dew is on the clover,
Stars peep one by one from the blue;
My heart widely roaming,
I sit in the gloaming
And dream, how I dream, Love, of you

But no words can measure
The worth of a treasure,
That memory calls into view;
And never are wanting,
The scenes that are haunting
My heart with the memory of you.

And always my sadness,
Is turned into gladness,
And life thrills with glory and youth;
Whenever I ponder,
The beauty, the wonder,
The love and the glory of you.

Discouraged and weary,
Life lonely and dreary,
Friends absent, hope failing me too;
All blessings departed,
I still am strong-hearted,
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NETWORK OF AERIAL LINES IN EUROPE

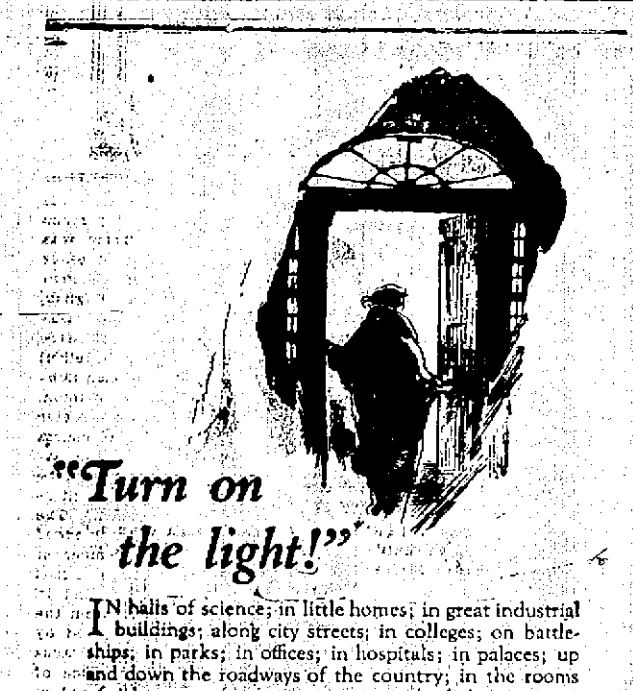
London, May 14.—Almost daily extension of passenger and mail service by air is rapidly making Europe a network of aerial transportation lines.

Negotiations are now nearing completion for an airway from Berlin via Riga to Moscow, and when this service is completed it will be possible to travel by air from London to Moscow, a distance of nearly 2,000 miles.

Berlin already is connected with London by the Dutch service through Amsterdam. This Dutch branch also has inaugurated service between Paris and Amsterdam.

The existing London-Paris service connects at Paris with the airway to Warsaw which goes by way of Strasbourg and Prague.

The Franco-Roumanian Air Service company, which is responsible for this airway, has obtained concessions from the Austrian and Roumanian governments and hopes shortly to open an airway that will connect London through Paris with Constantinople.



"Turn on the light!"

IN halls of science; in little homes; in great industrial buildings; along city streets; in colleges; on battleships; in parks; in offices; in hospitals; in palaces; up and down the roadways of the country; in the rooms of rich man or poor man—turn on the light!

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"Turn on the light!"

Did your thoughts ever go behind those words? Did they ever go back to the huge dams and water turbines, where water power is used, or the stupendous steam boilers? Or back to the turbines, engines and generators, wires of high-tension transmission lines and the innumerable smaller wires, all of which, in a sort of endless chain, link up with your reading lamp?

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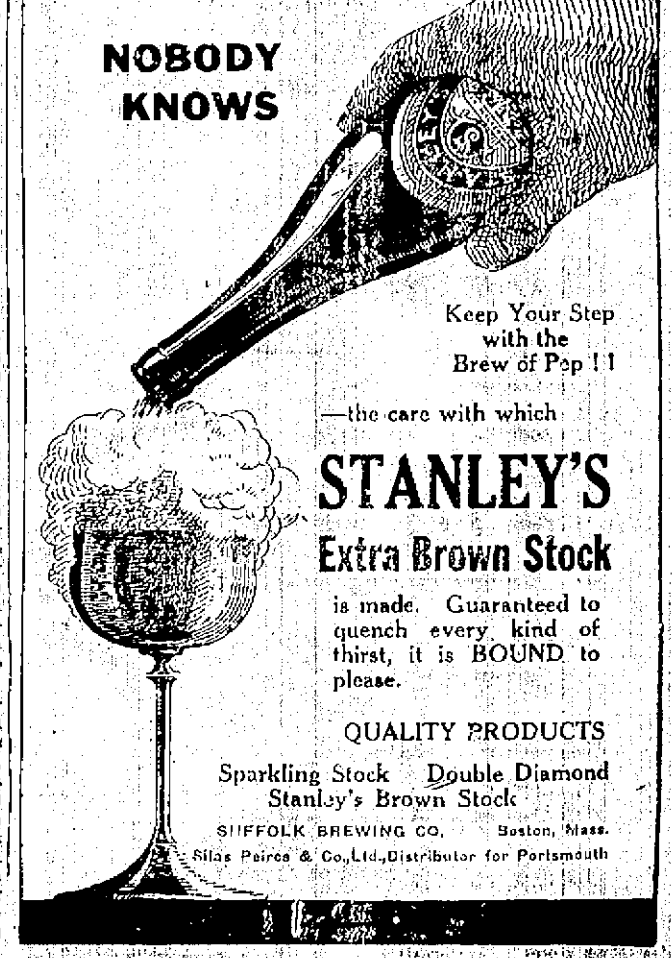

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VETERANS WIN FAST GAME FROM FORT

The baseball team of the Veterans of Foreign Wars added another victory to their string on Monday evening when they defeated the team from Fort Constitution on the playgrounds by a score of 5 to 3 in a five inning game. The soldiers got hit the Veterans but they failed to bunch their hits and to make the most of their opportunity on bases.

McCabe pitched for the locals and while his wild ball kept them well scattered and he got good support. Billow who was in the box for the soldiers was inclined to be wild and he gave way to Toppin in the third inning. He opened by hitting two men, paving the way for three runs. Connors caught a good game for the Veterans and he made two of the three hits.

Neither team scored in the opening inning but in the second the Veterans scored. After Silva had struck out, Coleman walked, went to second on a wild pitch and scored on Connors hit through the box. Burke walked, and McCabe hit to Billow who got McCabe at first and doubled Connors at the plate.

The soldiers failed to score in their half and in the third the Veterans added three runs. Toppin went in the box and Donin was safe on Fonda's fumble, Forest and Parker were hit, filling the bases, Donin scored on an overthrow by Summers to third, McNally sacrificed, then along with a hint down the first base line, Forest scoring. Silva hit to first and Parker scored.

The soldiers scored one run in this frame. Eger getting safe on McNally's fumble. Billow singled over second and Hanshaw followed suit, Eger scoring. Rolecek struck out. Summer hit through short but Billow was held at third and McCabe fanned the next two men up.

The Veterans scored another run in the fourth when Connors singled over second, went to second on Hanshaw's bad throw, stole third and scored on a passed ball. Burke and McCabe struck out. Donin was passed and stole second but Forest rolled one to Toppin.

The soldiers scored on a single by Hayne over short, a poor throw by McCabe and a single by Billow. They scored again in the fifth. Rolecka singled to right and Fonda singled to the same field.

The Veterans play the Creek A. C. at the playgrounds this evening at 5.30.

The score:

VETERANS

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Donin 2b	3	1	1	1	1	0
Forest 1b	2	1	0	3	1	0
Parker lf	2	1	0	2	0	0
McNally ss	2	0	1	0	0	1
Silva 3b	5	0	0	2	0	0
Coleman rf	1	1	0	2	0	0
Connors c	2	1	2	5	0	0
Burke rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McCabe p	2	0	0	0	3	2
Lilburt cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	18	5	4	15	5	3

FORT

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Hanshaw 2b	3	0	1	2	2	1
Rolecki 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Summers c	3	0	2	5	1	1
Fonda ss	3	0	1	2	0	1
Skinner 1b	2	0	1	7	1	0
Kelley rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hayne cf	2	1	1	1	0	1
Millard cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cody lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Billow p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Billow p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Toppin p	2	0	2	0	2	0
	24	3	9	15	7	4

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	
Veterans	0	1	3	1	0	—5
Fort	0	0	1	1	1	—3

Stolen bases—Donin, Connors, Summers. Sacrifice hits—McNally. Struck out—By McCabe 4; by Coleman; by Billow; by Toppin 2. Base on balls—By Billow 2; by Toppin. Passed balls—Summers. Wild Pitch—Billow. Hit by pitched ball—By Toppin. Forest and Parker. Double play—Billow to Skinner to Summers. Umpires—Green and Monk.

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SLOW WORK ON THE BRIDGE

The bridge contractors are moving slowly in getting the pier caisson into position. They intended to haul it down last Tuesday but up to the present time have only anchored a lighter off the site of the pier and have not attempted to tow the caisson down.

P. H. S. WILL PLAY ROCHESTER WEDNESDAY

The High school has two games this week. Tomorrow afternoon the team will play Rochester High in this city at the playgrounds, the game being called at three o'clock and on Saturday they play Newburyport High at Newburyport. These are two hard games and the team will be doing well to win both of them. Newburyport will be the strongest team they have met so far this season and has been playing good ball.

GREAT NEED FOR MORE LIBERAL GIVING

The house to house canvass for the Salvation Army Home Service Appeal began yesterday under the direction of the women's teams, assisted by the High school girls. This canvass will be continued throughout the week until everybody has had an opportunity to give to this worthy cause.

So far the navy yard has made a fine showing in its contributions to the Salvation Army and if the business and residential districts of Portsmouth do as well, the amount of the budget, $6300 will be secured.

Do not forget the pledge cards. Instead of a small cash contribution, a person might be willing to pay one dollar or two dollars per month, thereby assisting in the appeal more than would otherwise be possible.

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